

Purchase of A Victory Bond From Cemetery Trust Fund Authorized

Lengthy Session of Council Held Monday Evening — Redeem Debenture No. 33

Stirling Village Council added its support to Canada's Sixth Victory Loan at its regular meeting on Monday night, when a resolution was passed authorizing the investment of available cash in the cemetery trust fund in Victory Bonds. Reeve West occupied the chair and all the members of council were in attendance.

Following the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting, the report of W.A. Weir, boiler inspector, on his inspection of the boiler in the Community Building showing it in good condition was tabled, also communications from Brant Sanatorium, La France Fire Engine Co., relative to fire fighting equipment; premier Geo. Drew, re a meeting of municipal representatives to discuss provincial post-war plans scheduled for May 8th; Bank of Montreal, re signatures on village cheques, etc., and from the Ontario Department of Highways re amendment to Highways Improvement Act, requiring Municipal Councils to furnish county engineer with a list of work planned on streets and the approximate cost by June 15th, and a statement of the work done and the cost by November 15th of each year.

On motion of councillors Bailey and Elliott, the Reeve and Treasurer were authorized to sign all cheques, etc., for the village and the clerk was instructed to complete form L.F.-22 and return it to the Bank of Montreal.

The remainder of the communications were received and filed.

Fred Elgie interviewed council in regard to the ditch on the south side of church street at the rear of his property, also with reference to purchasing lots 1, 2 and 3 on the south side of Elizabeth Street. The matter was left in the hands of the property committee to report at the next meeting.

Messrs. N. E. Eggleton and R. W. Melkejohn were present from the Board of Education and the latter addressed council requesting an advance on the 1944-45 requisition for the public school. The unexpected increase in the attendance had necessitated the engagement of another teacher, and last year's requisition would not be sufficient to complete the year. On motion of councillors Wells and Bailey, a sum not exceeding \$1,500 will be advanced the Board of Education as required.

The matter of the redemption of the debenture, covering the cost of the village well was introduced by councillor Wells, who pointed out that a considerable saving could be made by so doing. After discussion, it was moved and seconded by Elliott and Wells that the said debenture be redeemed out of the waterworks account.

On motion of councillors Thompson and Elliott the purchase of \$2500 or \$3,000 (as finances warrant) in Victory Bonds from The Cemetery Trust Fund was authorized. It was agreed that \$2,000 be purchased from Jas. LaGrow and the remainder from Harper Rollins.

A request from the Navy League for permission to hold a tag day in Stirling on May 20th was granted.

Reeve West stated J. Hamilton had made a request to have the drain running from his residence south on Nancy Street cleaned out. The matter was left in the hands of the Streets Committee.

To protect the waterworks system against loss, it was decided that in future all new tenants will be required to make a cash deposit of \$3.00 for the water service.

Councillors Bailey and Thompson were delegated to interview Mr. Bellinger in connection with his request for a water service to his property on the Marmora Road.

Lloyd Dafeo was granted permission to install a one-tap water service in his residence at no additional cost, providing he assumed the cost of installation with the exception of the water service box.

On motion of Councillors Elliott and Thompson, Mrs. J. J. Wilson's water service after March 1st, was written off.

The clerk was authorized to pro-

Teacher Resigns

Miss M. Gray, teacher on the staff of the Public School for the past two years, has tendered her resignation to the teachers' committee of the Board of Education, to take effect the end of June. She has accepted a position on the staff of a Toronto school.

Beware Grass Fires

A number of complaints have been received of citizens leaving grass and rubbish fires burning at night, causing their neighbours some anxious moments, as well as being inconvenienced by the smoke and fumes, and we have been asked by town officials to appeal to all citizens to extinguish these fires before retiring at night.

Passed Exams

C. Gordon Reid, of Holloway, was successful in his first year final examinations at the Ontario Agricultural College. Gordon is a graduate of Stirling High School and his many friends here will join in extending congratulations.

Sgt. Air Gunner Tanner Reported Missing

Word that their son, Sgt. Ray Tanner, RCAF, was missing, following aerial operations overseas, was received by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tanner, of this village, on Thursday last. No further information was given by Air Force Headquarters, other than that a letter would follow. Sgt. Tanner enlisted in the RCAF in March of last year and after taking his training proceeded overseas last November. Prior to enlistment he was employed at Stirling Motor Sales and was well-known throughout the district. He was a graduate of the local schools and was a star defenceman on the local Junior Hockey Team of 1942-43.

Besides his parents there are three brothers, Barton, at home; Melville, of Stirling and Morley, of Campbellford and two sisters, Mrs. Fred Bate-man, of Stirling and Mrs. Leslie Adams, of Thomasburg.

The entire community joins in the hope that he will turn up safe and well.

58 Years Married

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bailey will celebrate their 58th wedding anniversary at their home, Mt. Pleasant, on Sunday, May 7th. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bailey are enjoying the best of health, despite their years, and are planning a visit to the photographer on Saturday. Their many friends here join in extending congratulations.

Cure a bond of \$3,000 on the tax collector through W. J. Whitty.

The following accounts were presented for payment:

E. Luery, work on waterworks accounts, \$10.00; A. E. Strickland, \$1; D. M. Sine, washed gravel, \$12.00; Fire Brigade, \$72.00; W. L. Munro, lumber, \$1.40; Dominion Stores, \$3.25; Stirling Hydro, \$197.08; Stirling waterworks, \$119.19.

Council adjourned to meet again on Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

ADJOURNED MEETING

At the adjourned meeting of council held Tuesday evening, by-laws to appoint time and place for holding a court of Revision on the 1944 Assessment and to govern the volunteer fire department were given their several readings and passed.

F. R. Mallory, village auditor, was instructed to audit the collector's roll and sign a release to the Bond Co., holding the bond on the collector.

The water rate for Thos. McCaughen's property was adjusted to be \$3.64 per month gross.

An account of \$80.00 was presented from Huntingdon Township for the road grader recently purchased by the village and was ordered paid.

I.O.O.F. Lodges At St. Paul's

Rev. David Gray Delivers Inspiring Sermon — Choir Rendered Special Numbers

Commemorating the 125th Anniversary of the founding of their order, the members of the various branches of Oddfellows in Stirling attended divine worship in St. Paul's United Church, on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Rev. David Gray delivered the special message of the day.

Members of Stirling Lodge, No. 239, and Stirling Encampment, No. 80, together with a large number of visiting brethren from Trenton, Campbellford, Havelock and Springbrook, paraded from their lodge room on Front St. At the church they were joined by the members of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211. Altogether there were well over one hundred members of the order in attendance at the service.

A large congregation was present to welcome the fraternal order and Rev. Gray delivered an inspiring sermon on the subject, "Who Is My Neighbour?"

The Oddfellows and Rebekahs were given a most cordial welcome by Mr. Gray, on behalf of the church officials and himself. He took his text from Luke 10: 31-34, containing the story of the Good Samaritan. The man who fell among thieves and was sorely wounded had been passed by by his friends, the priest and the Levite, but a Samaritan, a sworn enemy of his race, had shown compassion on him and given him assistance. The Samaritan was depicted by the speaker as a business man on a trip to Jericho. He might easily have passed the injured man because he was too busy. "The most of us are too busy going nowhere to do the right thing to our fellowmen," declared Mr. Gray.

"The road Jerusalem to Jericho runs through our country and through our community. It is the highway of life and there is a multitude travelling that road, sick and downtrodden, — all in need of the help of a brother man. It doesn't matter whether they wear a different label than you or not, they all are your brothers, because they are children of the one God. What you learn in your lodge room should enlarge your heart to include the whole world," stated Mr. Gray.

He admonished his hearers to try

Highly Esteemed Resident Mourned

William Henry Cooke, Local Drover, Passed Away Sunday, In His 70th Year

The funeral of the late William Henry Cooke, took place from his late residence to St. John's Anglican church for service at 2.30 p.m. yesterday. The late Mr. Cooke died in Nicholl's Hospital, Peterborough, on Sunday last, following a month's illness.

The service, which was conducted by Rev. C. C. Brazil, was largely attended as the deceased gentleman was well and favourably known throughout the community. Members of the Masonic order attended in a body and performed the last rites of the order at the graveside.

Born in the 9th concession of Rawdon Township, the late Mr. Cooke was in his 70th year and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Cooke. All his life was passed in this district, where he conducted a drover business, and was well-known and highly esteemed. To many friends his death has brought much regret. In religion he was a member of St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, and fraternally he was a Past Master of Stirling Lodge No. 69 A.F. & A.M.

Surviving are his wife, the former Ethel Gertrude Wallace; four sons, Carl Cooke, RCAF, Toronto; Harry Cooke, Stirling; Wallace Cooke, R.C.A.F., Italy, and Robert Cooke, R.C.A.F., Ottawa; two daughters, Mrs. Grant Cole (Frances), Corbyville, and Miss Margaret Cooke, Reg. N., Ottawa.

The bearers were Messrs. J. E. Salisbury, W. L. Fox, Harper Rollins, Ewart Bailey, G. B. Bedford, and V. Richardson.

Interment in St. Thomas cemetery, 8th line of Rawdon.

and put the brother into brotherhood. Lend a hand and help your fellowman. If this were done this would be a lovelier and richer community in which to live. "Pick up your opportunities for doing good as you go along, because you will not pass this way again," concluded Mr. Gray.

Special music rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mr. G. L. Clute, included an anthem, "In the Beginning," by the choir and a solo, "I will not pass this way again," by Ted Reynolds.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Rowan Walker, of Ontario Veterinary College, Guelph, is home for the vacation.

Mrs. George Connors, returned to Stirling on Wednesday from Kingston General Hospital. Her condition is much improved.

Miss L. Conley, of Peterborough, was a guest of Miss Jean Salisbury, on Sunday.

Douglas Gray, of Queen's University, is spending a few days with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. David Gray.

Mrs. Thomas McKeown, who has been spending the winter in Peterboro' has returned to Stirling.

Miss Katherine Wright and Miss Marion Rose, spent the week-end in Hamilton, guests of Miss Betty Lucas.

Jack Walker, of Queen's University, Kingston, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox and family attended the funeral of the former's grandmother in Campbellford, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowan, Robt. Luery, R.C.N.V., Halifax, and Mrs. Luery, of Nanawake, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher and Mr. don McIntosh.

and Mrs. Ross Hoard of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Eggleton.

Squadron Leader M. Helliwell and Mrs. Helliwell, Edmonton, Alta., are guests of the former's brother, Dr. P. V. Helliwell, and Mrs. Helliwell this week.

Friends of Mrs. J. McC. Potts, who was taken to Belleville hospital last week, will be pleased to learn that her condition is improved and she expects to return home the coming week-end.

Word has been received by his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Taylor, that Sgt. Roy Conley, of the R.C.A.F., a son of Mrs. Chas. Conley, Picton, has arrived overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Gooderidge, of Nanawake, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mullen and daughter, Molly Ann, and Miss Betty Hutton, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hutton.

Messrs. A. D. McIntosh and Joe McIntosh, Toronto, Norman McIntosh, Los Angeles, Cal., Geo. McIntosh, of RCAF, Dunnville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shel-

Victory Loan Progress

The latest returns for Hastings County in the Victory Loan are 50 per cent. of the objective, or a total of \$1,700,000. The amount subscribed in District E, comprising Rawdon, Huntingdon and Stirling, is \$56,250 or 35% of the objective.

In Stirling Village, \$21,900 has been subscribed or 40% of the objective. The Armed Services and the Payroll Savings have already reached their objectives, leaving the onus of putting the loan over the top in the County on the individual purchasers.

SLOGAN CONTEST

The Hastings County Victory Loan Committee, with the co-operation of the teachers, are conducting a slogan contest in all schools of the county. Full particulars of the contest may be found in an advertisement on page 4 of this issue.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rodgers, Ridge Road, celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary at their home on Sunday last. Visitors for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rodgers, of Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rodgers and family; Mrs. Robert Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordanier and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rodgers. A cablegram was received on Saturday from their son, Walter, who is serving in the Royal Canadian Navy overseas, as well as numerous cards and phone messages of congratulations from friends in the community.

Their Majesties Send Condolences

Cpl. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley, of Stirling, received the following letter of sympathy from their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, following the death of their son, L.Cpl. R. D. Stapley.

Buckingham Palace
The Queen and I offer you our heartfelt sympathy in your great sorrow.

We pray that your country's gratitude for a life so nobly given in its service may bring you some measure of consolation.
GEORGE R. I.

Lt. Cmdr. M. Wellman Treats Civilians

Medical officers in the armed forces ordinarily don't treat civilian patients, but a Royal Canadian Navy doctor in this Atlantic base is doing just that — and everybody is happy about it.

Dr. John Grieve, the only civilian psychiatrist in Newfoundland, is ill in bed. Pinch-hitting for him on a spare-time basis, in the country's 650 bed mental hospital, is Surgeon Lt. Cmdr. Marvin Wellman, R.C.N.V.R., of Stirling and Whitby, Ont., a peacetime psychiatrist for the Ontario government.

Permission to make Dr. Wellman's services available for the civilian hospital was granted by Commodore C.R. H. Taylor, R.C.N., Flag Officer, Newfoundland, after local health authorities had appealed for help. It is believed the situation is almost without parallel in the history of the Canadian medical services.

Surgeon Capt. A. L. Anderson, R.C.N.V.R., of Saskatoon, Sask., the R.C.N.'s senior medical officer in Newfoundland, said the Navy was delighted to reciprocate for "some of the generous and excellent co-operation the Newfoundland health authorities have given us since the base here was first established." He said Dr. Grieve himself had acted as psychiatric consultant many times for the Navy before the arrival of Dr. Wellman.

Sir John Puddister, Newfoundland commissioner for public health and welfare, said Surgeon Lt.-Cmdr. Wellman's assistance is working out very well and we are most grateful for the Navy's help.

Dr. Wellman visits the Newfoundland mental hospital two or three times every week. Meanwhile his work for the Navy is not neglected: he now has a full-time psychiatric assistant, Surgeon Lieut. J. F. Simpson, R.C.N.V.R., of Toronto.

Results H. School Easter Exams.

Number of Successful Students Leave School To Assist In The Work On The Farm

Grade XIII
Donald Barton—Eng. Comp., 2nd; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 2nd; Alg., 1st; Geom., 1st; Trig., 2nd; Phys., 2nd; Chem., 1st; Lat. Auth., 2nd; Lat. Comp., C.
Bert Bastedo—Eng. Lit., C; Geom., C; Bot., 2nd; Zool., 1st; Chem., C; Lat. Auth., C; Lat. Comp., C.
Harold Bush—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., C; Mod. Hist., C; Geom., C; Trig., C; Bot., 2nd; Zool., C; Phys., C; Chem., C.

Marjorie Bush—Eng. Comp., 3rd; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 1st; Geom., 1st; Trig., 1st; Lat. Auth., 1st; Lat. Comp., 2nd; Fr. Auth., 1st; Fr. Comp., 1st.

Eunice Davis—Eng. Comp., 3rd; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 2nd; Alg., 1st; Trig., 2nd; Lat. Auth., C; Lat. Comp., C; Fr. Auth., 1st; Fr. Comp., 2nd.

Royden Davis—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., C; Mod. Hist., 3rd; Trig., 1st; Bot., 2nd; Zool., 3rd; Chem., 3rd; Fr. Auth., C; Fr. Comp., C.

Robert Jackman—Eng. Comp., 1st; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 2nd; Alg., 1st; Geom., 1st; Trig., 1st; Phys., 1st; Chem., 2nd; Lat. Auth., 2nd; Lat. Comp., C.

Mary Lanigan—Eng. Comp., 1st; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 1st; Alg., 1st; Geom., 1st; Trig., 1st; Lat. Auth., 1st; Lat. Comp., 2nd; Fr. Auth., 2nd; Fr. Comp., 2nd.

Donald McIntosh—Eng. Lit., C; Geom., C; Bot., 2nd; Zool., C; Chem., C.

Douglas Patterson—Eng. Comp., 3rd; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 2nd; Geom., 3rd; Trig., C; Bot., 1st; Zool., 1st; Fr. Auth., C; Fr. Comp., C.

George Reid—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., 3rd; Alg., C; Geom., 1st; Trig., 3rd; Phys., 2nd; Chem., 3rd; Lat. Auth., C; Lat. Comp., C.

Marian Rose—Eng. Comp., 2nd; Eng. Lit., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 1st; Zool., 1st; Chem., C; Lat. Auth., 1st; Lat. Comp., 2nd; Fr. Auth., 1st; Fr. Comp., 2nd.

Grenville Sine—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., 3rd; Mod. Hist., 3rd; Geom., C; Trig., C; Bot., 3rd; Zool., 3rd; Phys., 3rd; Chem., C.

Joyce Sine—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., C; Mod. Hist., C; Alg., 2nd; Trig., C; Lat. Auth., C; Lat. Comp., C; Fr. Auth., C; Fr. Comp., C.

Roy Thompson—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., C; Geom., 2nd; Trig., 2nd; Bot., 2nd; Zool., 2nd; Phys., 1st; Chem., C; Lat. Auth., C; Lat. Comp., C.

Brylyn West—Eng. Comp., 3rd; Eng. Lit., C; Lat. Auth., 1st; Lat. Comp., C; Fr. Auth., 2nd; Fr. Comp., 1st.

Katherine Wright—Eng. Comp., C; Eng. Lit., 3rd; Zool., C; Chem., C; Lat. Auth., 2nd; Lat. Comp., 3rd; Fr. Auth., 2nd; Fr. Comp., 1st.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Grade XII

Robert Cosbey—Eng., C; Geom., F; Agric., C; Fr., C; Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 2nd.

Margaret Davis—Eng., 2nd; Geom., 1st; Agric., 2nd; Fr., 1st; Lat., 1st; Mod. Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Fred Eggleton—Eng., 2nd; Geom., 1st; Agric., 1st; Fr., 3rd; Lat., 1st; Mod. Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Robert Elliott—Eng., 3rd; Geom., 1st; Agric., 1st; Fr., 2nd; Lat., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 2nd; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Robert Gay—Eng., C; Geom., C; Agric., F; Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 3rd.

Margaret Gray—Eng., 1st; Geom., C; Agric., 3rd; Mod. Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 2nd.

Earl Haslett—Eng., 2nd; Geom., 1st; Agric., C; Lat., 2nd; Mod. Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Iris Holland—Eng., 2nd; Geom., 1st; Agric., 1st; Fr., 1st; Lat., 1st; Mod. Hist., 1st.

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- Coming Events -

RAWDON JUNIOR FARMERS' Dance, and Drawing in Stirling Community Hall, Wednesday, May 10th. Austin's Orchestra. \$5-10

ANNUAL A.Y.P.A. DANCE—STIRLING Community Hall, on Wednesday, May 24th. Austin's orchestra. Admission \$1.00 per couple, \$5-25

A MEETING OF
Stirling Business Men's Association
WILL BE HELD IN THE
AGRICULTURAL ROOMS,
MONDAY, MAY 8th, 1944
AT 7.30 p.m.
PLEASE BE PRESENT
C. I. HATTON, President

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Thursday, May 4th, 1944

THE HOME FRONT FOR VICTORY

Until the war is ended by Victory for the United Nations, it is imperative that not only a few, but everyone, should purchase Victory bonds.

As important as the support of guns, aeroplanes, ships, munitions, food and equipment for the men and women from almost every home in every street of the cities and towns of Canada and along the highways and side roads of the countryside—is the consciousness of the unflagging support of the people at home. The battle front is dependent on the home front just as the home front is dependent on the battle front.

Along the far flung battle line, in the air, across the wide expanse of several seas, men and women of our own kith and kin have given more than money—their lives. Many thousands of others this minute are facing great danger, great hardships, with great courage and must continue to do so until final victory is won. The more Victory bonds that are bought, the sooner Victory will come, and the sooner the carnage and wastage of the war will be stopped.

The fighting forces must not be abandoned for lack of money. If they lose, we are lost. That is the stark, realistic truth. The earlier Victory bonds that you bought will always be worth their face value, in addition to the half yearly interest. The Victory bonds you buy in the Sixth Victory Loan will be as good an investment as those you made in previous loans. All of us may know these facts, but it is well to keep reminding ourselves of them. If it sometimes seems that the noise about buying more Victory bonds is becoming tiresome, we should remember that no noise can wake those who have died with the fighting forces and those who will die while the war continues.

Victory bonds are a vital help towards the attainment of Victory and they are the best and safest investment that can be made.

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CLEAN-UP

Now that warm sunny days are here, it is time for a clean-up of accumulations of the winter season, and a general clean-up and paint-up campaign would greatly improve the appearance of the village. Local housewives are busy at their housecleaning duties and the Local Board of Health will soon issue its annual proclamation for a general clean-up by the residents.

To clean-up and beautify is to exhibit civic pride and every citizen should endeavour to assist in order that the village may maintain its reputation for beauty and smartness. From a public health standpoint, it is also desirable that every yard is cleaned up of all rubbish and filth, so as to lessen the danger of contagion and improve health conditions.

It is not enough for citizens to clean their front yards and lawns just because they are exposed to the full view of their neighbours or the general public, but the backyard must also be cleaned. Clean out all debris and refuse which have accumulated throughout the winter and do your bit for all the good of the community.

Nothing contributes so much to the appearance of any community as clean, tidy streets, well kept homes and attractive surroundings.

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THE DOG NUISANCE

It's about time that the Village Fathers took some action governing the running at large of dogs in Stirling during the summer months. Year after year complaints are heard on all sides from residents who have had their flower beds, shrubbery and gardens damaged by these roving canines, but nothing has been done.

At this time of year dogs are particularly harmful to gardens and we fail to see why any owner should be inconsiderate enough to allow his dog to damage his neighbour's property. We venture the opinion that in most cases if the order of things were reversed and the neighbour's child destroyed the property of the dog owner, there would be a big ado about it. Little fault can be found with the owner whose dog occasionally wanders away from his home surroundings, but there are some in the municipality who pay absolutely no attention to their pets or their whereabouts, and the great wonder is why they keep them at all.

There are several municipalities in the district that make it an offence to allow a dog to run at large during the summer months and find the plan works to good advantage. It is apparent that there will be no relief from the dog nuisance in this village until the Council takes some similar action.

THE ROAD TO ECONOMIC RUIN

There is grave danger that, as month succeeds month with their prices being held in check, Canadians may begin to take this essential wartime control for granted and consider it is no longer really necessary for them to exert themselves on its behalf.

And yet there has never been a time since price control became effective when the ceilings required more friends or greater support. Pressures which, if unchecked, will destroy them and the security they give to the people of this country are constantly at work. The struggle to maintain economic equilibrium in Canada must be a continuing one if it is to succeed and if we are to enjoy protection from all the losses and tragedies that would inevitably follow in the wake of inflation.

The term "inflation" is not a bogey conjured forth for the purpose of terrorizing a people at war. It is a very real danger which is ever-present under prevailing conditions and which is already making itself felt very seriously in countries as widely separated as China and southern Italy.

Missionaries and other people returning from China constantly tell us of the appalling prices which ordinary commodities now command in that unhappy country, where control remains absent and where there is, in consequence, so much loss and suffering, especially on the part of the ordinary common people. High and still rising prices have become a common complaint in southern Italy and Sicily, where allied authorities are now joining with civil officials in an effort to bring them under control.

The same condition prevails in varying degree practically all over Europe with the "black market" thriving and with the most exorbitant prices being demanded for even the necessities of life.

The same thing could happen here were we to allow it to happen. Statistics—and the memories of those who lived and bought in those days—prove indeed that it did happen here during the Great War and thereafter. It would be happening all over again right now but for price control and the public support which has been granted it.

It follows that if we are to enjoy continued immunity from excessive prices leading to inflation and disaster for most of us, we must make up our minds to support this vital programme through thick and thin, for all the government policies that can be outlined, all the regulations that can be passed, will not avail if we ourselves do not stand four-square behind them.

It cannot be emphasized too strongly nor too frequently that inflation is destructive of everything that keeps us on an even keel financially and economically. It leads straight to loss, suffering and misery. It preys upon savings. It destroys investments. It is the particular enemy of all those having small or fixed incomes. Its impoverishing influence has been conclusively demonstrated over and over again in country after country and if we consent to it here, for want of determined, aggressive opposition, we are merely inviting terrible trouble that we will regret for probably many years to come.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY

One result of the war should be a greater appreciation of the farmer's difficulties on the part of the city dweller. Many business men are learning how much hard work is involved in cultivating and bringing to production a few hundred square feet of victory garden, and they must realize that managing a few hundred acres is something of a chore.

Some city men are natural gardeners and find as much pleasure in planting potatoes and training tomato plants as they did in moving a golf ball from place to place in the days when they had the gasoline. They may continue gardening when the war is over, but most of their fellow-gardeners will gladly exchange the hoe for the mashie.

On the other hand, those farmers who have forsaken the land for the higher wages offered by war industry will not all remain in the city. Many of them must have discovered by now that country life has some advantages not to be found in towns. They are looking forward to resuming a way of life that suits their own needs. They have also come to learn that the higher wages obtainable in urban employment are accompanied by higher living costs.

In adjusting postwar society, the wartime education of urban and rural workers in each other's jobs should have its effect. Each will retain his own point of view about the type of life he wants to lead, but he will respect the other's, even though he may think him slightly cracked.

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BUY IN YOUR HOME TOWN

Buying in the home town benefits both the buyer and the merchant. It helps to improve the streets, to reduce taxation, to bring the goods that are needed to a common centre where they are needed. It circulates money, giving all an equal chance to secure some of it, and in this way buying in the home town helps the merchant, lowers the price of goods to the consumers, aids the financial institutions, gives more money to taxes, for better roads, better police and fire protection, helps the newspapers enables the municipality to pay better wages to school teachers, assists in the erection of better churches and public institutions and finally establishes better residential districts, and in this way prosperous cities and towns are built up. The object therefore, of all loyal citizens should be to buy the things they require in the place in which they live.

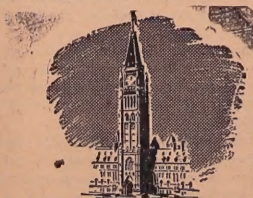
What Others Say

WE SAID THAT BEFORE

"A near miss" is one of the silliest terms produced by war which always creates a jargon all its own. A broadcast at noon, Tuesday, stated that allied planes scored three "near misses" on several Jap motor ships. This is about as sensible as the rouest about's boast that he took a sock at so-and-so, missing him by an inch. It also recalls the old story about why the dog didn't catch the rabbit.—Monte Gazette.

SOMETHING WRONG

The boys are coming home from the war and they slip into town so quietly that no one knows they are here until they chance to see them. Toronto returned men have complained of the lack of some sort of public reception. The whole thing appears to be all balled up. We can remember during the previous war when the boys were met at the train with cars, the bells rang, and a parade followed. This time there is none of that, and the only reception given our men is some affair that is staged later on and usually in the form of a banquet or something of that nature. This column feels that if a reception is due these fine fellows, who have been through the mill, it should be held in some public place where even those who have no use for banquets might be able to drop around to pay their respects. Trenton Courier-Advocate.



A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially for the weekly newspapers of Canada

An interesting sidelight on price control is one which crops up in the annual report of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board and which we pass on as food for thought, not propaganda. Just how do family budgets fare when war hits this country? In this house-wives are directly concerned. Without a control organization during the last war, consumers found that in March, 1919 it took \$1.54 to buy what one dollar bought in 1914. Today, with price control, it only takes \$1.18 to buy what a dollar bought in 1939. Each taxpayer's share in the operation costs of this government Board amounts to about 10 cents a month. Total administrative expenditures from April 1st to December 31st, 1943, were \$9,901,439.

Canadian householders will be able to toast their toes in comfort next winter if they co-operate as they did last, says Canada's coal controller, who has given out a tentative forecast of what you can expect for the 1944-45 heating season. Canada will get about the same amount of U.S. anthracite as last year, but incoming Welsh coal will show a reduction and maybe they'll have to divert some U.S. anthracite, normally used in Ontario and Quebec, to the Maritimes for consumers whose equipment is not suitable for burning Maritime coal. Supplies of Canadian and U.S. coke will be about the same, but lower quantities of low volatile bituminous (Pocahontas type) in household sizes, is predicted. In New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and P.E.I. enough Maritime coal will be handy for those using bituminous, and sufficient anthracite and coke will be available to tide them over the colder months of the year.

With the final estimates out now for the 1942 wheat crop of Canada, a lot of folks will be surprised to know that it wasn't the biggest crop in history ever produced in Canada, but second best, for in 1928 the total harvest was 566,726,000 bushels. Final figure for 1942 is 556,684,000 bushels. Of this amount 529 million bushels was produced in the three Prairie Provinces. Most of the "writting down" was done in Saskatchewan where the crop failed to entirely measure up to indication as of harvest time, 1942.

Full time sugar rations are not coming back immediately after the war, according to Sir William Rook, British sugar controller who was in Canada conferring with Wartime Prices and Trade Board officials recently. The view that all that is lacking is enough shipping space to transport sugar, he takes as erroneous. He warns that

world supplies of sugar are so short that the present supply is insufficient to meet essential needs without strict rationing.

Whenever you see bananas these days—we said, whenever—you can rest assured there is a ceiling price on them. Now the retail price is set at 15 cents a pound for the West, northern Ontario, northern Quebec and the Maritimes provinces; 14 cents for southern Ontario and Quebec.

The Department of Labour at Ottawa makes it clear in the plea for teachers to take essential work during vacation time that there is no intention of interfering with those who have to carry on further courses to qualify for their profession. It is the others. Many have had experience in farming, which would help the situation greatly, but there are also other essential jobs available through Selective Service.

Of course the war has made for the bettered business conditions. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics Report showing that 1943 saw a new low in commercial failures in Canada since records were first kept from the beginning of the century. There were only 314 failures reported under the Bankruptcy and Winding-up Act as compared with say, 1,392 in 1939, the year the war started.

The Canadian Federation of Agriculture warns farmers everywhere against high pressure salesmen who allege to have gilt-edged stocks and bonds to sell, a number of these co-operative in setup, as bait. Closest scrutiny is advised, and that's good advice.

Put Victory First and buy your share of bonds; bring our lads and lassies home sooner.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

CANADIAN HOLSTEIN BREAKS WORLD RECORD

A new World Record, over all breeds, for yearly production of butterfat, in the three-times-a-day milking section of the four-year-old class, has just been completed by Montvic Hienke Rag Apple Patsy, a member of the Glenafon Holstein herd of J. J. McCague, Alliston. Starting her record-breaking lactation at four years and 220 days old, Patsy produced 24,466 lbs. milk containing 1,163 lbs. butterfat in 365 days, average test 4.76 per cent. The former champion was Montvic Bonheur Hartos, a close relative of Patsy, who made her record of 1,153 lbs. fat from 24,248 lbs. milk at Mount Victoria Farms, Hudson Heights, Quebec, in 1940. It is interesting to note that both animals were, when their records were made, under the personal care of Mort Butchers, former herd superintendent at Mount Victoria, who now occupies the same position at Glenafon. "Patsy" is not only a champion producer but is also top-notch cow. Last fall she was chosen as All-Canadian four-year-old after standing first in her class at the Oakville Championship Show. Although a cow of great size (she weighs close to a ton) she has marked refinement, as exemplified by her clean cut head, neck and shoulders and general dairy appearance throughout. She carries a beautiful udder, heavily veined, level and well attached. An eager feeder, she was never off her feed and went to pasture daily with the rest of the herd while her record was in progress.

Her latest calf, born at the beginning of her record-breaking lactation, and now a year old, is being retained as a herd sire by Mr. McCague. Sired by Montvic Rag Apple Marksman, the

He:

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be my love
And we will all the
pleasures prove
That valleys, groves and
hills and fields,
Woods or steeply moun-
tains yield.

— Marlowe

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She:

If all the world and love
were young
And truth in every lov-
er's tongue,
These pretty pleasures
might we yield
To live with thee and
be thy love.

— Walter Raleigh

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All-Canadian three-year-old bull for 1943, he has a remarkable inheritance for both type and production.

COMFORTABLE HORSES PAY

A horse that is comfortable will do much more work than one that is uncomfortable. Farmers who are concerned about the comfort of their horses should see that the horses' collars fit properly. The hames should be snug. When out in the field the collars should occasionally be lifted up to let the shoulders dry and the shoulders should be washed at the end of the day's work with salt water. If this is done there will be no sore shoulders.

MACHINERY RATIONING

Although factory output of farm machinery will be considerably greater than in 1943, rationing of farm machinery is still necessary, because the output will be only 80 per cent of the normal production and not nearly enough to fill all farm demands. Production of repair parts is 156 per cent of normal.

SPRING CALVES

Spring-born calves should not be exposed to heat and flies but be kept in a cool box stall until three or four months of age, after which they may have a night paddock. Later in the season, August or September, when calves are fairly well grown, they should have access to a good aftermath pasture during the day.

USEFUL HINTS TO WARTIME GARDENERS

Recruits in the increasing battalion of wartime gardeners, will find the following tips from an experienced gardener helpful: A few simple tools of good quality are a better investment than tools of low grade material. Incidentally the supply of garden tools for 1944 is adequate to meet all demands. Tools that are kept clean and bright will give longer service and do better work. A sharp hoe does the best work with the least effort. Rubber garden hose should be handled with special care. It is now not easily replaceable. When not in use keep it coiled and under cover.

The best way to determine the right planting time for garden vegetables is not to get information from the local Horticultural Society, the nearest Experimental Farm or Agricultural Representative. Temperatures can vary so much between localities, that often the right time in one community is not at all right in another community only a few miles away. It is well to make sure of the right planting dates for your own locality. Planting at the right time is one of the most important elements in making a successful garden.

The pamphlet "The Wartime Garden" contains a lot of useful information. A copy can be obtained free by writing to Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. It tells how to plan the garden, how to prepare the soil, what equipment is required, and how to grow the various garden crops.

FARMERS CAN GET LOANS FROM GOVT.

The Canadian Farm Loan Board which has a branch office in every Province of Canada was established by the Dominion Government in 1929 under Dominion legislation for the purpose of providing the farmers in Canada with a system of long-term mortgage credit at cost. As the Board is a non-profit corporation, it provides the least expensive means of enabling a farmer to obtain his financial requirements necessary in the efficient operation of his farm. The Board borrows money from the Canadian Government on the security of its own bonds, and re-lends the money to farmers at a slightly higher rate of interest, using the spread between cost and income to pay for its administration, ascertained losses, and to set up a reserve account for possible losses.

At the present time, the Board borrows money at 3 1/2 per cent per annum and lends it at 5 per cent on first mortgage bonds. According to the latest annual report, the cost of administering the Board during the year was less than one per cent of the value of assets under administration.

In addition to a first mortgage loan, the borrower may also obtain a second mortgage loan with interest at 6 per cent per annum. While borrowers are expected to carry out their obligations as provided by the contract,

News of The Surrounding District

NO CHEESE SOLD

Though their opening meeting was held barely two days earlier than it was a year ago, not a single box of cheese was sold on the Campbellford Board Thursday night. It was not because there isn't any cheese to be had but merely because several plants which had been in operation since the first of the month, disposed of their cheese before they had been informed of the opening date of the cheese board.

MYLES HARDWARE SOLD

Announcement is made this week of the sale of the C. H. Myles Hardware business to Mr. E. L. Jardine & Son. The new proprietors come to Tweed from Ethel, Ont., near Listowel, Western Ontario. Mr. Jardine, Sr. has operated a garage and machinist shop at that place. His one son will assist him in conducting the business while another son, now in the Royal Canadian Air Force, will join the firm after the war. The transfer becomes effective on May 1st. Mr. Jardine has already taken up residence in Tweed. —Tweed News.

INDUCTION SERVICE MAY 5th

Rev. E. M. Cadigan, who was recently invited to become minister of St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora will arrive in Marmora some time this week to assume his new duties. Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock he will conduct services in the town hall, which will be used until the church can be restored.

Arrangements have been made by Belleville Presbytery for his induction to take place on Friday evening, May 5th, commencing at 8 o'clock. —Marmora Herald.

sympathetic consideration is given by the Board to those who through no fault of their own, by reason of crop failure, illness or other unforeseen expenses, are unable to pay as agreed. The head office of the Canadian Farm Loan Board is Plaza Building, Ottawa.

A tip for Victory gardeners to remember is to avoid working among such plants as cabbages and beans when they are wet because there is a danger of spreading plant diseases.

TRUCK SALES

Truck and trailers sold by auction or in sales of personal or household effects are now included in the Price Ceiling Order for used trucks. Formerly only trucks and trailer sales by automotive dealers came under the price ceiling.

LIEUT KENNETH SMITH AWARDED FOR BRAVERY

According to recent information received by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Mt. Pleasant, their son, Lieut. J. Kenneth Smith, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

The citation reads "For extraordinary achievement while piloting a Lancaster bomber." Lieut. Smith's aircraft was carrying a maximum bomb load when, proceeding down the runway for the take-off, one engine of the plane ceased to function. Quickly realizing the possibility of disaster, he managed to get the aircraft into the air before reaching the end of the runway.

JUDGE E. H. McLEAN DIES AT PICTON

Judge Evan H. McLean of Prince Edward County Court died at his home, Picton, Wednesday night after a long illness. He was honorary colonel of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment and served overseas with that unit as captain and paymaster in the last war.

CAPTAIN "LARRY" WRAY NOW PRISONER OF WAR

Captain Lawrence "Larry" Wray, A.F.C., son of R. J. Wray, of Belleville, is a prisoner of war according to word received through the International Red Cross Society. He is a member of the Permanent Force of the RCAF and was formerly a test pilot.

Prior to being posted overseas he was a senior Staff Officer of the Eastern Air Command, having held the post of commanding officer in stations in British Columbia and the east coast. He had over three thousand flying hours to his credit.

His wife, Mrs. Lawrence Wray, resides in Ottawa, while his father, one brother, Harley Wray, and one sister, Mrs. Joseph Imlah, resides in Belleville.

Buy Victory Bonds "SALADA" TEA

WORLD FELLOWSHIP

Rev. Dr. Bert Howard, principal of Albert College at Belleville, Ont., told the Ontario-North-western Quebec District Conference of Rotary International that unless racial prejudice were abandoned, "world fellowship" could not be achieved after the war.

RE-ELECT BURDEN ROYAL ARCH HEAD

Most excellent Companion, John M. Burden, Toronto was re-elected Grand Z Thursday at the closing session of the annual convocation of Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada, which was attended by 550 Royal Arch Masons from Canada and United States.

Questions and Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other Wartime Prices and Trade Board rulings should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ontario:—

Q.—Just what is the increase in the tea and coffee ration now in effect?

A.—Each coupon is doubled in value, i.e. it becomes worth four ounces of tea or 16 ounces of coffee. One of these coupons becomes valid on the second Thursday and another on the fourth Thursday of each month.

Q.—I saw some large tins of grapefruit juice in the stores recently. Is it rationed?

A.—No. Tinned grapefruit juice is not rationed.

Q.—I want to convert my house into flats for rental. Where I should apply in regard to the rent that may

be charged?

A.—You should make application to the rentals appraiser of the Prices Board to have the rental fixed.

Q.—Last week I noticed small six ounce jars of jelly and eight ounce jars of honey selling four for a coupon. Is that right?

A.—No. The six-ounce jars of jelly should be sold two for one preserves coupon and the eight-ounce jars of honey three for one coupon.

Q.—I want to buy a new milking machine. Where do I apply for permission?

A.—Apply to the nearest WPTB office for a form which you must fill out and sign and also have the dealer from whom you intend to make the purchase sign it. This form is to be submitted to a farm machinery rationing representative of the Board.

Q.—Will the increase in tea or coffee rations affect the ruling of only one cup of coffee or one serving of tea to one person at one sitting in a restaurant?

A.—No. These restrictions remain in effect.

Q.—I read somewhere that blackstrap molasses was not rationed. Is that correct?

A.—Yes, but the "blackstrap" mentioned is of a type not usually consumed by human beings and is customarily used for feeding live stock. Molasses for cooking purposes is very definitely on the ration list.

Q.—Has canned rhubarb now returned to the ration list?

A.—Yes. Canned rhubarb, temporarily removed from the list of canned fruits included under the preserves ration, returned to that list on May 1.

"I have a pain in my abdomen," said the rookie to the army doctor.


"Young man," replied the medico, "officers have abdomens. Sergeants have stomachs. YOU have a belly-ache."

INVEST FOR INVASION

AS THE TEMPO of the war increases—as our fighting forces go all-out for invasion—we folks back home must mobilize in their support. Not only on every battle front, but on the home front, too, we all have our duties.

Everyone who possibly can should invest in at least one extra bond during the present drive. Buy another bond as your investment in the success of invasion.

This is the crucial year. Everyone must do his full share.

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**St. Andrew's
Presbyterian Church**
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, May 7th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m.—West Huntingdon.
Rev. Mr. Graham, of Belleville, will
preach at both services.

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Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.
Minister

Sunday, May 7th, 1944
11.30 a.m.—Bethel.
3.00—Mt. Pleasant.
8.00 p.m.—Wellmans.
Rev. Mr. Wooten, of Picton, will
preach.

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St. Paul's United Church
Rev. David Gray, Minister in Charge
Sunday, May 7th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
No Evening Service
2.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Carmel, Public Worship.

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, May 7th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.
7.00 p.m.—Gospel Service.
Thursday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting

Marjorie Wallace, Miss Enid Hay,
Miss Clara Thain, Mr. Charles Carter
and Mrs. Ernest Thain.
Between acts Master Neil Hubble
sang two humorous selections and
Mrs. Fred Hay played several piano
selections.

At the close the cast were served
sandwiches, cookies and coffee and
votes of thanks were tendered from
both societies. The play was well
presented and contained plenty of action
and lots of comedy.

Mr. Bill Rowe and son, Billy, Camp-
bellford, spent Sunday with his brother,
Mr. George Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith moved to
their home on the Anson Line last
week after spending the winter
months in Belleville.

Mrs. Frank Easton and Miss Ferne
Easton have been spending some
time with Mrs. Bert Jeffs.

Miss Jessie Johnson spent a day
last week with Miss Mabel Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin, Stirling,
and Miss Ferne Hubble, Batawa, were
week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Percy Hubble.

Mrs. Emory Demorest, Belleville,
spent a few days last week with her
sister-in-law, Mrs. Sid Demorest. The
girls visited their aunts and uncles,
Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sine, Mr. and
Mrs. Burness Demorest and Mr. and
Mrs. Bruce Demorest.

Mr. and Mrs. James Groves, spent
Sunday at Queensborough, with the
latter's mother, Mrs. Phillips, who is
seriously ill.

Mrs. George Weaver, Mrs. Blake
Sharp, Mrs. Cyrus Summers and Mrs.
Allan Reid celebrated their birthdays
on Saturday in Belleville. They each
had a birthday on Monday, May 1st.

Lieut. Eleanor Green, R.N., daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Green, Mar-
mora, has enlisted and is posted at
Hamilton and received her commis-
sion. Eleanor received her education
at the Allan School and Fourth Line
School. Her two brothers, Max and
Ralph are also in the services.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Rowe, Toronto,
spent the week-end at their farm at
Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Herbert Smith entertained her
mother and grandmother one day re-
cently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, Mr.
and Mrs. Merle Spencer attended the
funeral of the late Dr. J. A. Faulkner,
on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown have
purchased the Gummer home near
Bethel United Church.

WELLMAN'S

Sorry to hear that Patsy Pollock is
confined to her bed with the Scarlet
Fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGee and Mr.
Tom McGee, of Stirling, spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. George McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene King, of Camp-
bellford, spent the week-end with Mr.
and Mrs. Fred King, and Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd King.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bailey and
family, of Carmel, spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and
girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dean and
Evelyn, of Fuller, spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley, Cecil and
Hazel.

Rev. and Mrs. Townsend took tea
Sunday evening at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Fred King.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Graham, of
Harwood, spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutcheon, Mr.
and Mrs. Howard Hutcheon and baby,
of Burnbrae, spent Sunday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher
and Teddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sine, and Mrs.
H. Sine, spent Sunday visiting rela-
tives near Trenton.

Mr. Fred Thrasher spent Monday at
the home of his brother, Mr. Roy
Thrasher, at Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Aileen Jackman, of Peterboro,
spent the week-end with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jackman.

Rev. and Mrs. Townsend, took tea
Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs.
V. Graham and family.

Wellman's School has been closed
for a week as a precaution against
any further epidemic of Scarlet Fe-
ver.

Ceiling prices on fresh sausage have
been reduced by about four cents a
pound.

FULLER

The Y.P.U. were entertained at
West Huntingdon on Friday evening.
Mrs. Clarence Mullet spent Friday
with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mullet,
Crookston.

Miss Della McMaster underwent an
operation in Belleville hospital on
Saturday for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wickens, of
White Lake, spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. Murney Morland.

Mr. John Geen was a guest of his
brother, Mr. Albert Geen, at Thomas-
burg, on Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Mitts has returned to
her home here after spending the
past winter months with Mr. and Mrs.
Andrew Carson, Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Adams and
girls were guests of the latter's pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tanner,
Stirling, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine and
Reggie, spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Wilber Sherry, Thomasburg.

Several fences were burned to the
ground when a spark from the engine
of the C.N.R., ignited in the long
grass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brough, accom-
panied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough
and Glenn to Detlor, on Sunday.

The Glen Cheese Factory started
operating on Wednesday morning.

The Young People's Union met at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Brough, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brady and Calvin
of White Lake, have taken up resi-
dence in Fuller.

The opening of the trout season
brought several fisherman to the
banks of the local streams.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Post, also Mr.
Gwelyn Post, spent Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. George Post, Moira.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean and Evelyn,
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul-
ey, Springbrook.

MADOC JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cooke and
children, of West Huntingdon, were
dinner guests on Sunday at the home
of Mr. George McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Darrah, and
family, of Brighton, were recent
guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gallivan.

Miss Dorothy Reid, of Sidney spent
the week-end with Miss Helen Mc-
Mullen.

Sorry to report Master Vernon
Clarke, III with Scarlet Fever.

Misses Helen McMullen, Rosella
Fitchett, Hilda Stapley, Mary Cham-
bers, Ella Wannamaker, Ferne Reide,
Gladys Clarke; Messrs. Hugh McMul-
len, Sam and Garnet Stapley, Garnet
Kerr, Douglas Ackers; Mesdames, W.
Harlow, Carl Reide, attended the Y.P.
meeting at West Huntingdon, on Fri-
day evening. The former three as-
sisting with the programme.

Mrs. George Eggleton, spent the
dinner hour on Friday with Mrs. Leon-
ard Waterfall, at Stirling.

WELLMAN'S SUNDAY
SCHOOL CLASS

The Wellman's Sunday School Class
met at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Frederick Beckett, on Thursday eve-
ning, April 27th, with a good atten-
dance. The President, Ted Pollock
opened the meeting with hymn 387.
All repeated in unison Psalm 753. Rev.
Mr. Townsend led in prayer. Minutes
of the last meeting were read by the
Secretary, Jack Dunham. Business
was discussed, and plans were made
to entertain Burnbrae Young People's
Society in May.

A splendid devotional talk on
"Prayer" was given by Miss Barlow.
Mrs. B. Morton gave a Bible quiz. A
reading was given by Doris Pollock.
All joined in singing hymn No. 390.
Mrs. B. Morton favoured next with a
humorous reading. Mrs. Frederick
Beckett favoured with a piano solo.
The meeting closed with hymn 388,
followed by the Mizpah benediction.
Collection amounted to \$1.35. Mr. and
Mrs. Beckett served a delicious lunch
and a social half hour was spent.

RIVER VALLEY STUDY GROUP

It was a happy thought which
prompted the R.V.S. Group to invite
Mt. Pleasant W.M.S. to their Easter
meeting, held Wednesday evening,
April 12th, in River Valley School
House, as they furnished such a
splendid programme under the guid-
ance of their capable president, Mrs.
Townsend.

The meeting opened with hymn 179,
followed by the reading of Psalm 72,
(Canada's Psalm), and prayer by Rev.
David Gray.

Mrs. Kane in a few well-chosen
words welcomed the guests and Mrs.
Townsend took charge of the devo-
tional part of the service which con-
sisted of a solo, "Jesus stand among
us", by Mrs. Townsend, with Mrs.
Hoard, accompanist. Mrs. Townsend
gave a short talk on the "Easter After-
glow."

The Scripture Lessons, were read
by Miss Koicha Bush and Mrs. Burton
Sharp. Miss Gladys Summers sang,

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Corn Flakes — 3-8 oz. pkgs. 25c Puffed Wheat — 2-4 oz. pkg. 15c
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT JUICE — 48 oz. tin 39c
JEWEL SHORTENING — 1 Lb. Carton 19c
CRISPY CRUST LARD — SPECIAL — 1 Lb. Carton 14c
OLD ENGLISH SCRATCH COVER — Bottle 23c
PAULA SUGAR SUBSTITUTE — Bottle 39c

RATION COUPONS

Butter—No's 54 to 59—No's 54-57 expire April 30th—Sugar Nos. 14
to 31—Preserves Nos. 1-18—Tea and coffee-14 to 29—E1 to
6—T-30-31

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by making your needs known as early as
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For GENERAL FARM HELP apply to
your Employment and Selective Service
Office. The Office at BELLEVILLE will
assist you.

Or for STUDENTS or SHORT TIME
SEASONAL HELP apply to Farm Service
Force, Provincial Department of Agricul-
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"Have Thine Own Way, Lord," with
guitar accompaniment. Mrs. Kenneth
Weaver took charge of the remainder
of the programme. Two verses of
Hymn 115 were sung, followed by
prayer by Mrs. Holmes.

Mrs. Weaver gave an interesting
address on "Easter Means Life." A
Lenten Prayer was sung by Mrs.
Percy Hubble. Mrs. Frank Jeffs
recited expressively "The Angelus."
Rev. T. F. Townsend offered prayer
and gave a short address.

The meeting closed with hymn 252
and the Benediction by Mr. Gray.
Mrs. Kane and Mrs. Utman voiced

the appreciation of the group for the
very fine programme presented by the
Mt. Pleasant W.M.S.

The Group served lunch and a very
happy social half-hour was spent.

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auspices of the Young People and the
hall was well filled with guests in at-
tendance from Stirling, Carmel,
Hoards, Wellmans and Bethel. The

proceeds was over forty-eight dollars.

The characters were introduced by
Mrs. Donald McKay and the scenes
were all depicted in the living-room of
the country home of Mrs. Trash,
which home was situated near a popu-
lar summer resort.

Those in the cast were Kenneth
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Walker, Mr. John Coggins, Mrs. Ken-
neth Milne, Mr. Don Walker, Miss

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Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for the Municipality of Stirling, will be held in the Council Chambers, on Monday, May 15th, 1944, at the hour of 7.30 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of hearing and determining complaints against the Assessment Roll of the said Municipality for the year 1944.

All persons interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Dated May 3rd, 1944.
36-2 G. H. Luery, Clerk

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of February, 1944, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of June, 1944.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That after the said date the administrators will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

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BIRTH

ROWE—At Nicholson Nursing Home, Stirling, on Friday, April 28th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rowe, a son—Robert Douglas.

WRIGHTMAN—At Nicholson's Nursing Home, Stirling, on Tuesday, May 2nd, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman, Stirling, a son. (still born).

St Paul's W. A.

The May meeting of St. Paul's United Church Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Bailey, on Tuesday afternoon, May 2nd, with the President, Mrs. J. L. Good, presiding over the opening exercises, and the business period. The meeting opened with the singing of the theme song, prayer by the president, followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. At this time a short memorial service was held in sacred memory of our beloved member, the late Mrs. J. J. Wilson. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, along with all other communications received during the past month, also reported eight cards had been sent since the last meeting. The roll call revealed forty-five ladies present. The visiting committee reported twenty-eight calls, made during April. All members of the W. A. will act as visiting committee for this month. The Treasurer, Mrs. Oliver Stapley, presented a very complete financial report. Miss Della Caldwell, Mrs. Walter Elliott, Mrs. Oliver Stapley and Mrs. Nora Wescott were appointed the official delegates to the annual convention of W. A. and Ladies' Aid Societies for the counties of Hastings and Prince Edward, to be held in Tabernacle United Church, Belleville, on Thursday, May 25th. Mrs. H. L. Fair, convenor of the programme committee presided over the splendid program of the day, which opened with the singing of a hymn, and prayer.

The Themes of the meeting were based on "Mother's Day" and "Education"—The Scripture Lesson taken from the One Hundred and Nineteenth Psalm was read by Mrs. Walter Elliott, also comments based on the Scripture reading. Mrs. Ted Reynolds gave a splendid reading, suitable for "Mother's Day", entitled "The bravest Battle." The W. A. was favoured with two solos by a former member of our W. A., and also a soloist of St. Paul's choir, Mrs. Francis Jeffrey, of Belleville. These solos were much enjoyed and appreciated by all the ladies present. Mrs. H. L. Fair gave the address of the afternoon, taking for her timely subject—"Princess Elizabeth"—her presumptive to the British Throne; and who celebrated her 18th birthday, on April 21st. The speaker reviewed Princess Elizabeth's life in a very interesting manner, to all present, pointing out very clearly that the Princess has been reared in the atmosphere of this twentieth century democracy, and is herself the heir of all the blessings of that democracy and of the British ideal of family life. In this setting, she is being prepared for the duties which come to her as a daughter of the King. Her home life has been a happy one with freedom and with a knowledge of the great responsibilities which she may some day be called to assume. Her education has been of special care and thought so that she may take her full part in public life. Her charming grace and winsome personality are acknowledged in the love and affection she inspires. Mrs. Fair closed this splendid address with a Royalty Quiz contest. Mrs. F. N. McKee and Mrs. Harold West delighted the W. A. members with their duet, "My Mother's Prayers have followed me." The meeting closed with the singing of a hymn, National Anthem, and the Mizpah Benediction. A very dainty luncheon and a pleasing social period was enjoyed at the close of the meeting. The sincere thanks to the hostess, Mrs. G. Bailey, Mrs. F. Jeffrey, of Belleville, the entire committee, and all who took part on the program was ably voiced by Mrs. Cecil Macklin. The following ladies were responsible for the program, and lunch—Mrs. H. L. Fair, Mrs. W. Elliott, Mrs. F. N. McKee, Mrs. Arthur Gordanier, Mrs. Hockley, Mrs. Don Donohue, Mrs. C. Pitman, Mrs. F. Eggle, Mrs. Ted Reynolds, Mrs. Harold West.

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sociation. Tickets are 25 cents each or a book of five for \$1.00.

The heifer calf offered is Glenahton Laurel Blossom born February 6, 1944. She is a very richly-bred individual carrying the blood of three "Extra" sires, Johanna Rag Apple Pabst (3 crosses), King Totilla Acme, and Echo Hartog Mercedes. Her sire is Montvic Rag Apple Marksman, who was All-Canadian three-year-old bull in 1943 and is from Montvic Rag Apple Colantha Abbecker, the 1939 C.N. E. Grand Champion and World Record Holstein on three-times-a-day milking with 1,263 lbs. butterfat from 29,208 lbs. milk in 365 days.

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APPOINTED CORONER

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Honor Roll

For Stirling and District

In case there are any omissions we will appreciate being advised of the same, in order that the list may be kept up-to-date.

R. C. A. F.

*W.A.G. Sgt. Aubrey Rodgers.
*W. A. O. Sgt. Harold F. Taylor
Sgt. Jack Bailey, Stirling.
Sgt. Stewart McGowan, Stirling.
Cpl. Gerald Ward
P/Sgt. Reg. Clarke, Stirling.
W.O. 2 R. G. Scott.
Sgt./O. Jack Wood, Stirling.
L.A.C. Don Ward, Stirling.
P/O Desmond Jackman, Stirling.
Cpl. Oliver Stapley, Stirling.
P/O A.G. Roy Conley, Stirling.
P/O H. Clarke, Stirling.
L.A.C. Colin Fox, Stirling.
Cpl. Jack Scott
Cpl. Jack Petter
Donald Scott, Stirling.
L.A.O. Donald J. Brown, Hoards.
L.A.C. Roy Hagerman, Stirling.
L.A.C. Douglas McAdam, Stirling.
L.A.C. Russell Woodcock, Stirling.
L.A.C. Percy White, Stirling.
Don Nix, Wellmans.
Don Hogle, Stirling.
P/O Kenneth Smith
Murray Herrington, Springbrook
Jack Tullough
Russell Pyar, Stirling.
L.A.C. Elwood Haggerty, Stirling.
Sgt. W.A.G. B. Barnard, Bonarlaw.
L.A.C. Don McKeown, Bonarlaw.
L.A.C. Clinton Lough, Springbrook
P/O. Ward Stiles, Stirling.
P/O. Clifton McGee, Stirling.
*Sgt. Pilot Stuart Kirby, W. Hunt.
Joe Kirby, W. Huntingdon.
Sgt. R. Cooke, Stirling.
Rose C. Bailey, Harold.
Walter Heasman, Stirling.
L.A.C. Hugh Coyle, Stirling.
William R. McAdam, Stirling.
Cpl. Carl Cooke, Stirling.
Sgt. A. G. Ray Tanner, Stirling.
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L.A.C. Ray Sine, Stirling.
Don Frances, Stirling.
Don Wright, West Huntingdon.
Seymour Ashley, Stirling.
Ritchie F. Mason, Springbrook.
Jack Eastwood, Bonarlaw.
Reginald Dunham, Wellmans.
AC. G. Cassidy, Springbrook.
L.A.C. Lorne Anderson, Stirling.
Women's Division, R.C.A.F.
Irene Wood, Stirling.
L.A.W. Minnie Linn, Wellman's

R.C.A.

Lieut. Richard Chard, Stirling.
Gr. Stanley McGowan, Stirling.
Gr. Ted Bud, Stirling.
Gr. Edward Galloway, Springbrook
Chas. Weaver, Stirling.
Gr. Chas. Fairer, Stirling.
Gr. Robert Keegan, Stirling.
John McMechan
Gunner J. W. Symons, Stirling.
Henry Dean, Bonarlaw.
Gnr. Jack Lummis.
Gr. J. C. Bateman, Stirling.
Gr. Geo. S. Wallace
Edw. McDonald, Stirling.
O. Teupah, Stirling.
J. Nedham, Stirling.
D. Payne, Stirling.
Gr. James Wannamaker.
Gunner Roy Sharp.
Gnr. Geo. Dunkley.
Driver Leslie Clements, Minto
Gr. Donald Taylor, Stirling.
Gnr. J. G. McFarland.
Gr. L. A. Williams, Hoards.
Sgt. James A. Thompson, Stirling.
Gr. D. Richardson, Stirling.
Gr. Marvin Moon, Springbrook.
P/O. Ormel MacMullen, Mt. Pleasant
Gr. Ben Bervins, Harold.
Bdr. Fred Conley, Stirling.
Gr. Chas. Raymond Rose, Stirling.
Gr. Clayton Heath, Stirling.
Donald Loshaw, Stirling.
*Arden Loshaw, Stirling.
Spr. Vernon Wannamaker, Stirling.
William McMullen, Holloway.
Stanley Cook, Holloway.
Gr. C. J. Stapley, Stirling.
Gr. Gordon Goulet.
John Rosebush, Stirling.
Gr. James Kirkley, Stirling.
Trooper Ray White, Stirling.
Gordon Cooper, Springbrook.
Gr. Allan Sine, Stirling.

Chas. Wright, Stirling.
Ross Reid, Springbrook.
Gr. Wilfred Whilman, Harold.
Gr. A. A. Ellis, Stirling.
Gr. Wm. Long, Stirling.
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Capt. A. M. Lavery, Stirling.
Capt. C. A. Melkjohn, Bonarlaw.
R. C. A. P. C.
Sgt. Claire E. West, Stirling.
Capt. Arthur Gould, Stirling.
Roy Juby, Stirling.
R.C.H.A.
Gnr. George Stewart, C.D., Hoards.
Gunner Sherman Brady, Harold.
Gunner Irwin Potts, Mt. Pleasant.
Sig. Jas. Barnett, Rylstone.

Hastings-Prince Edward Regiment

Mjr. E. W. Matthews, E.D., Stirling.
Capt. C. Holmes, Stirling.
Capt. K. R. Holmes, Stirling.
Sgt-Major H. McLeaming.
Sgt. J. T. Teupah, Stirling.
Sgt. Clarence A. Wright.
Sgt. Clarence Heath, Stirling.
Cpl. Ross Crockwright, Bonarlaw.
Sgt. Stanley Ray, Springbrook.
Cpl. Frank Oeborne.

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Pte. Elmer West.
Pte. H. Lummis.
Pte. J. Ackers.
Pte. G. T. Cook, Harold.
Pte. E. E. Curlette, Holloway.
Pte. G. B. E. Faulkner, Holloway.
Pte. R. B. Faulkner, Holloway.
Pte. G. D. Stephens, Holloway.
Pte. J. Telford, West Huntingdon.
Pte. Geo. E. Cotten, Harold.
Pte. W. H. Anderson, Hoards.
C.Q.M.S. Marney Wright, Ivanhoe.
Pte. P. B. Kelly, Holloway.
*L/Cpl. Donald Stapley, Stirling.
Pte. Wm. Alexander.
Pte. N. McLeod, West Huntingdon.
Pte. John Townsend, Holloway.
Pte. Jas. Akey, Holloway.
Pte. Jack Vilneff.
Sgt. John Loshaw, Stirling.
Fred Dainard, Stirling.
Irvine Woodcock.
Pte. Leonard Ray, Springbrook.
L/Sgt. Jas. Stapley, Stirling.
Pte. Lorne White, Mt. Pleasant.
Pte. Wm. Reynolds, Stirling.
Pte. Ray White, Mt. Pleasant.
Pte. Edward Kirkley, Stirling.
Pte. J. T. Andrew, Stirling.
Edwood Cooper, Springbrook.

48th Highlanders

Capt. D. G. Haggerty, Stirling.
Norman Luery, Harold.

VETERAN'S GUARD

C. W. Barnard.
Jack Hamilton.
Geo. Towes, Springbrook.
William Fowler, Stirling.
Morley Stocker, Bonarlaw.

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Cpl. Harry Brooks, Stirling.
Sgt. Lester Fraser, Stirling.
Douglas Rombough, Bonarlaw.
Pte. C. H. Dunkley, Stirling.

13 Inf. Brigade

Cpl. G. W. Morrison, Bonarlaw.

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Lieut. John A. Bell, Bonarlaw.
Pte. Ralph McKeown.
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Spr. B. Haggerty, W. Huntingdon.
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Tpr. Sidmer Demorest, Mt. Pleasant.
Vernon Woodcock, Stirling.
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Pte. David Wellman, Bonarlaw.
Wallace Cooke, Stirling.
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R.C.O.C.

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Capt. Arthur McDonald, Stirling.
Gilbert Finkle, Stirling.
Pte. Oscar Gillespie, Stirling.
Armt./Sgt. Raymond Heath.
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George McLeaming, Stirling.
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Jack Walker, Stirling.
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A. C. A. M. C.
Sgt. P. J. Morrison, Bonarlaw.

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Morris Woodcock, Stirling.
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Pte. Edward Kent, Stirling.
Pte. Carman Dunkley, Hoards.
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1st Survey Regt. R.C.A.

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Major Ivan Martin, Stirling.

25th C. A. REGT.

Captain Gerald Haslett, Springbrook.
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Cpl. Roy McGee, Campbellford.

Prince of Wales Rangers

Capt. Lorne Bateman, Springbrook.
Bateman, Lieut. H., Springbrook.
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Arthur McMullen, Springbrook.
John Fargy, West Huntingdon.
Stok. Ralph McMullen, Springbrook.

Kenard J. Baker, Bonarlaw.

Frank Rodgers, Stirling.
Jimmy Armstrong, Stirling.
Gordon Tanner, Stirling.

WREN

Mary E. Hall, Stirling.
Dorothy Hulin, Stirling.
31st Alta. Reconnaissance Regt.
Don H. Morton, Stirling.

C.W.A.C.

Marjorie West, Stirling.
Pte. Knox, L. J., Springbrook.
Pte. Audrey Bateman, Springbrook.
Pte. Marion Phillips, Stirling.



Lengthy Session Foreseen

In view of the rate of progress which has been made so far in the legislation of this session of Parliament and the momentous events which have been in the making, including the great history-making military offensive, meeting of the Prime Minister of the British Commonwealth preparations for the Dominion-Provincial Conference, etc., the pace of advancement has been more rapid than in the last session but it has appeared to this veteran observer that this session may last much longer than generally expected, perhaps, continuing for sometime until the early part of the coming summer months. There has been a rather lengthy list of bills or legislation of greater and lesser importance which have been awaiting the attention of the busy legislators and many of these questions have been considered certain to produce long discussions and bitter controversies, particularly since usually well-informed sources in this nation's capital have predicted this year three or four provincial elections and it has been possible lately to detect that these local tests will most likely have definite influences or effects upon the activities on the Federal political front. Furthermore, depending upon presently unforeseen occurrences in the war overseas as well as developments in Parliament here, there is no absolute certainty along Parliament Hill that even a general election could be ruled out completely within the next twelve months or so. All these factors have been inclined to prolong this session so that it has created the impression that Parliament may have to sit much longer than generally believed, perhaps, having to continue its works until the early part of the coming summer months unless something entirely unexpected at this time may occur to shorten its deliberations.

Most Challenging Period Ahead

Both the spokesman for the Government on the occasion, Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, and the leader of the Official Opposition, Gordon Graydon, have come forth in Parliament with extremely sharp words of warning against those Canadians who have been inclined to believe that this war was just about ready to end. Hon. J. L. Ralston complained among other things that "that too many people are thinking that the war is won." He added in part: "I refer those who think the war is nearly won to the statement made a day or two ago by the director of aircraft production that by this time next year we would be building planes just as hard as we can build them. Let us hope that this is not so." Gordon Graydon said in part: "I am hopeful that this country yet will be aroused from its complacency with respect to the possibilities of an early ending of hostilities. Our people have perhaps been depending too largely upon statements which have been made in other parts of the world, because, while we have passed the preparatory stages of the war, I think that it may be properly said that we still have before us the most challenging and fiercest period of the war."

Real Reasons

A dramatic declaration has been made in Parliament by Canada's Minister for Air, Hon. C. G. Power, who brought to the attention of the people's representatives that the fact that the number of schools under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan were being discontinued did not mean in the least or in any way that there would be any slackening of this part of the war effort in this decisive period of the war. Indeed, this had been foreseen as far back as last December. The only reasons why such actions are being taken are that there are sufficient numbers of trained air crew for the expansion of all squadrons in Britain, that there is an actual surplus of pilots, and that last year alone about 39,000 air crew were trained as well as about 44,000 this year, with about 92,000 air crew having been trained in addition to 5,000 in the R.A.F. schools prior to their becoming part of the larger organization. "But I hope it will not be forgotten that at the present time we have a surplus," said Canada's Air Minister in part. "We are still producing at peak capacity, or practically so, and shall be doing so up to the end of 1944." Then he stated significantly: "We have all the replacements required. We have all the men we need for 1944 and with what is produced in 1944 we shall have the men required for 1945 and I presume with the backlog of that ac-

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



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Hello Homemaker! There is something about a steaming casserole of savory stew that brings a smile to every face at the table.

And when the fragrant stew is topped by puffy golden crust, appetites grow as the eyes take in the sight of it.

Now here is such a dish—it has everything. Make your stew by one of the listed recipes. Then top it with potato puff. The potato puff is made from mashed potatoes. You need three cups full. Add the beaten yolks of two eggs, and enough hot milk to moisten it, along with two tablespoons of fat and any seasoning you like, such as a bit of onion or parsley. Beat the mixture well. Fold in stiffly beaten whites of the egg and pile the puff on top of the stew. Bake in a moderate oven until it is brown.

And here is something else you can do with these delicious potatoes. Put the puff in a greased baking dish and bake it separately. Serve it with meat loaf or an omelet. You can probably think of other combinations that would be good too.

MEAT PIE FILLING

3-4 pound hamburger steak, 3 teaspoons salt, few grains pepper, 1-2 cup tomatoes, 6 small carrots, sliced, 1-2 cup peas, 3 large potatoes, diced, 3 onions.
Grease the casserole. Add one layer of the meat, flaked with a fork. Sprinkle with part of the salt and pepper, add some pieces of the vegetables and continue, to within an inch of the top of the casserole. Use enough of the vegetables to fill the space; distribute the meat and seasonings well. Pack lightly so there will be space for them to expand as they cook. The tomatoes and the natural meat and vegetable juices will provide sufficient moisture. Serve as soon as baked. It is simply delicious. Bake in electric oven at 350 degrees.

BEEF STEW

1-2 pounds shank, neck, plate, flank rump or brisket, 1-4 cup flour, 1-2 teaspoons salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 1 small onion, 1-3 cup cubed carrots, 1-3 cup cubed turnips, 4 cups potatoes, cut in quarters.
Wipe meat, remove from bone, cut in cubes of about one and one-half inch. Mix flour with salt and pepper and dredge the cubes of meat with it. Cut some of the fat from the meat and heat in a frying pan. When part of the fat has dried out, add the cubes of meat and brown the surface, stirring.

cumulation we shall have all the men for 1946."

Farm Price Floor

The Government's farm price floor legislation is not intended to replace the wartime price regulations until they lapse six months after the war ends and it is in reality a post-war measure. This has been explained in the House of Commons by the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. James Gard-

constantly to prevent burning. Put this meat, with the melted fat in which it was browned, into the stew kettle. Add enough boiling water to cover the meat or a pint of tomatoes, stewed and strained, and simmer on electric element until the meat is tender (about three hours). The carrots and turnips are to be added during the last hour of cooking and the potatoes twenty minutes before serving time.

PORK PIE

2 or three pounds thick end of loin of pork, 1 cup stock or water salt and pepper, 1 or 2 tablespoons catchup, parsley, onion or celery.
Cut pork into thick slices. Put a layer on the bottom of a casserole and sprinkle chopped parsley and onion, salt and pepper over it. Repeat until the dish is 2-3 full and then pour in stock or water and catchup. Bake in electric oven 1-1 1/2 hours. Top with potato puff, pie paste or biscuit crust. Bake another 30 minutes.

Take a Tip:

When using all-purpose flour for making pastry you will get good results if you follow these rules:

1. Use 2 tablespoons less of all-purpose flour to substitute for each cup of pastry flour called for in recipe.
2. Blend in lard or hydrogenated fat until the mixture is mealy. Fat should be nicely blended with all-purpose, whereas it should be only blended with pastry or cake flour until it is the size of coarse oatmeal.

3. Add water quickly and lightly. Every unnecessary stroke tends to make pastry tough.

4. Chill thoroughly in a covered bowl.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. M. H. asks: How do you cut out rolls without sticking to the dough and how do you prevent a dry crust?

Answer: Grease the cutter frequently when you are cutting out dough. Place buns on greased bake sheet and cover with a damp towel. Let rise until double in size. Let rise until double in size. Brush with top milk. Bake in electric oven, having preheated oven with top element off.

Mrs. J. V. says: 1. Keep water-cress standing in a jar with a little water in it.

2. Heat lemons before you ream them to get the most juice.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o News-Argus. Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

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Rupert Shows His Spirit

"The storm is passing away!" There was jubilation in Frank Carter's voice.

"We'll make it!" he said.

The three men toiled up the steep path that led to the top of the mountain. Rupert was in the lead, the professor came next, and Frank brought up the rear.

Professor Ellington breathed somewhat heavily.

"A good thing that I got plenty of exercise on board ship!" he panted. "If my muscles hadn't been limbered up, I should have been having considerable difficulty by now! Even as it is—"

He paused to mop his brow.

"It's a stiff climb," agreed Frank. "Dashed if I know why your friends the meanderthal men or whoever they were couldn't have camped in the valley!"

"The heights afforded them protection against wild beasts and other tribes," Rupert explained. "They could cast down stones on their enemies and protect themselves in other ways." He peered upwards. "It isn't far to go now."

They had brought torches with them and the flickering lights revealed a rocky path winding upwards, bounded on either side by thick prickly bushes.

The lightning had ceased to flash, and the rain had gone off. The storm had left the air cooler and clearer. But the black sky held neither stars nor moon.

They toiled on. The path grew more broken as they progressed, and several times they had to climb round huge boulders and outcroppings of rock.

"We're coming to the end of it," said Rupert. "It starts again a little higher up, but it branches to the left. The cave is on the right."

Professor Ellington eyed the bushes dubiously.

"Snakes?" he suggested.

"Possibly," said Robert cheerfully. "But we have to risk that. In any case they won't attack unless you attack them. If you see one the thing to do is to stand still until it clears off. They usually glide away pretty fast. Fortunately this isn't tree country."

"Why fortunately?" asked Frank.

"Because that might mean mambas. They lurk in the trees, and they attack on sight. They drop on to the head of their victim. That's why the natives when they're going through tree country usually carry flat stones on their heads. For a mamba bite in the face or chest is fatal. You can't apply a tourniquet."

They left the path and plunged into the bushes. The other two stepped somewhat gingerly, but Rupert walked confidently. He seemed to have no thought save for the cave which was their objective.

Carter felt a glow of admiration. There was no denying the sincerity of Rupert's devotion to his work.

They struggled on through the bushes, and the professor was making noises like a grampus when Rupert halted abruptly and lashed out with his stick.

"I had to hit him," he said calmly. "I trod on his tail and he was going to strike. Fortunately he was a slow one—probably had just had his supper."

They could hear the reptile thrashing angrily away through the bushes. The other two stepped even more gingerly.

Rupert paused again and raised his torch. Then he gave a little cry of satisfaction and pointed upwards.

"The cave!"

Two huge boulders were buried deep in the hillside, like gigantic jaws. There was a tiny, black opening between the jaws.

"The natives were superstitious about the place," said Rupert. "I suppose that's why it had been undisturbed. Of course there was nothing to see, but the floor was covered with

soil, about five feet deep. That was what made me dig. It turned out not to be soil at all, but an accumulation of debris and powdered bones. At the five foot level I found definite traces of occupation and when I excavated thoroughly I found the skull and the teeth."

"We'd Better Get Back"

Frank, gazing at the narrow opening, had a sudden vision of a bowed, hair-covered beast snarling there, half man, half ape, with thick club upraised. Involuntarily he lifted the torch higher. There was nothing there.

The rushing of water came to their ears.

"What's that?" asked Professor Ellington, sharply.

"That's the stream which runs down here," replied Rupert. "Normally it's merely a trickle but the storm has swollen it. That's the danger you see. My digging has already loosened the grip of the earth on the two big rocks. They might collapse and seal up the cave. If the stream soaks through everything of value will be washed away."

They scrambled up the hill, and a moment later were squeezing one by one through the narrow opening.

The rocks were buried deeply in the hillside, and, like two cupped hands, they formed a little hollow—the cave. In the centre of the floor a pit had been dug—and Rupert exclaimed in dismay.

"The water has begun to seep through!"

The pit was about a foot deep in water.

Frank lifted his torch. He exclaimed in surprise, for the rough, rocky walls were bedaubed with red ochre drawings of men and deer, something that looked like a giraffe, and other animals. The drawings were like the scrawlings of a child, but the figures were clearly recognisable. Some of the men carried bows and arrows.

"Your cave-men were artists!"

"No, I scraped the walls and uncovered these. But Professor Ellington will tell you that they are much later work—bushman's paintings. My primitive men were a few hundred thousand years before that stage in human development."

Professor Ellington gazed uneasily into the pit.

"What are we going to do?" he asked.

Rupert frowned. "The storm has passed. Let's hope it doesn't begin again. Eventually the water will go down. But there is still danger. There is only one thing we can do—bail this water out somehow, and then lay some sort of covering down to keep more water from seeping in."

They set to work. It was a long, back-breaking job, for they had not had the opportunity to bring proper implements with them. Finally, however, the pit was clear of water. The rock was covered by a thin layer of mud. There was a long crack in the stone, and through this the water was seeping.

They filled the crack with rubble, and laid a covering of brushes and pieces of wood.

Rupert had gone to the back of the cave, and he came back with some objects wrapped in sacking. He carried them very delicately.

"Flints and bones," he explained. He smiled at Frank's astonished look. "It doesn't sound much, Carter, but to the scientific world they may prove more precious than radium! With these we may be able to re-construct a whole lost age of the world's pre-history."

"I don't want to leave them here," he continued, "in case the worst comes to the worst and the place collapses. We'll put them in the knapsacks." He cheerfully abandoned the flask of brandy and the sandwiches which he had put into his knapsack and placed the wrapped objects in their stead.

"I'll share you fellows' grub. But I don't think we'll need it. We've done all we can here to-night. I think we'd better get back to the hostel. The

girls will be worried."

"Better have some of this before we go," rumbled the professor, waving his brandy flask. "I rather imagine we've earned it."

They each drank a little of the spirit, then left the cave.

It was as dark as ever, and there was a threat of further rain in the air. Lightning quivered faintly on the horizon.

"I think we'd better hurry," said Rupert.

Cry in the Night

He led the way back to the path, and they began the descent.

They had got about half-way down when Rupert halted.

"More snakes?" asked Frank, with a grimace.

"No. Listen."

They stood still and strained their ears.

"Do you hear it?" asked Rupert sharply.

"My ears are keener than yours, because I've spent more time in the hills," said Rupert slowly. "Of course I may have been mistaken, but I thought I heard a cry."

Carter thought of the black cave which they had just vacated, and recalled his fanciful vision of the figure of the man-beast crouching there, with club upraised, as assuredly the ancestors of men had crouched in that spot thousands of years ago.

The night pressed down on them like a stifling blanket. The black bulk of the mountain seemed to be silently watching an encompassing them.

Had the primitive folk come out of the past to revenge the desecration of their bones?

He shook his head impatiently. One must not give way to foolish fancies. Rupert had spent months here alone, by day and by night. He had been unharmed.

"Well, let's get on," said Rupert. He shrugged his shoulders. "It must have been my imagination, after all."

They were about to resume the downward journey when Professor Ellington held up a hand.

"Wait! I heard it."

They stood still again. This time they all heard it—a faint cry which seemed to float up from beneath them.

"That was a woman's voice!" Carter's face was tense.

He gripped his torch and his stick and bounded past Rupert.

"Come on!"

They tore recklessly down the path. Frank rounded a sharp bend and halted abruptly.

A figure was struggling upwards towards him—and a moment later she was in his arms.

"Dorothy!"

She lifted her face to his. Her breath was coming in great gulps.

"Frank! Have you seen her? Did she meet you?"

"Who?" he asked sharply.

"Florence! I saw her leave the hostel. She had got a coat and a hat and a stick from somewhere, and she was going after you. I saw her cross the bridge and take the path up the mountain."

"I followed her. I kept calling, but she didn't answer. I kept climbing and climbing, but there was no sign of her. Then I began to get scared. I was too afraid to turn back, so I carried on, hoping I would meet you."

"But didn't you see her? Didn't she find you?"

Frank shook his head. He was thinking of the treacherous turns and twists in the path—and of the snake which they had encountered.

"Look here, Rupert!" Professor Ellington's voice was rough. "Is there any other path up this mountain?"

"No."

Rupert spoke stonily. He had not moved since Dorothy had run into them. Frank noticed in the light of the torches that the knuckles of the hand which gripped the stick were white.

"Then," said Professor Ellington slowly, "if she came straight up, she should have met us. Unless—"

He left the sentence unfinished.

"We must organise a search party."

Rupert spoke with his usual cold efficiency—but the curt note in his voice deceived no one.

In Search of Florence

"There is no time to lose. As I told you, the path ends and then continues again, branching away to the left. She may have taken that direction while we were in the cave."

"Carter and I will return and search for her there. But we must have more men. Professor, and you, Dorothy, please go down as quickly as you can and rouse the hostel. They're trained in this sort of work and will know what to do."

"Father, I want to stay with Frank and Rupert," said Dorothy.

Ellington hesitated.

"Very well. The path is easy to follow from here. I'll go down and get help at the hostel. You people start the search. Good luck!"

He turned and plunged down the path without another word.

"We have no time to lose," repeated Rupert. "We'll go up to the end of the path. Then it will be best if we separate. You two cut along to the left. I'll go higher up to where the path resumes. She may possibly have found her way there. We can keep in touch by shouting."

He led the way upwards. When they came to the end of the path, after some hard, breathless climbing, he pointed.

"You go along that way. I'll continue upwards."

They watched him scramble up the rough, boulder-strewn hillside.

"What on earth impelled her to come after us?" Frank asked.

"I can understand how she felt," replied Dorothy. "I felt the same myself, and I imagine Christine did, too. Perhaps Florence had less faith in Rupert's ability to look after himself than I have in you."

Following Rupert's directions, they scrambled along the shoulder of the hill.

Rupert Featherstone climbed doggedly. Every now and then his lips framed the soundless word:

"Florence!"

(Continued Next Week)

An American Air Force colonel stationed in England was explaining with satisfaction how he had shot three pheasants on his airfield.

"Good heavens!" exclaimed an English listener. "You can't do that—"

that's poaching. You'll get fined or jailed for that in England."

The American hesitated a fraction of a second. "Well," he drawled, "I guess I shot them for pecking at my aircraft."

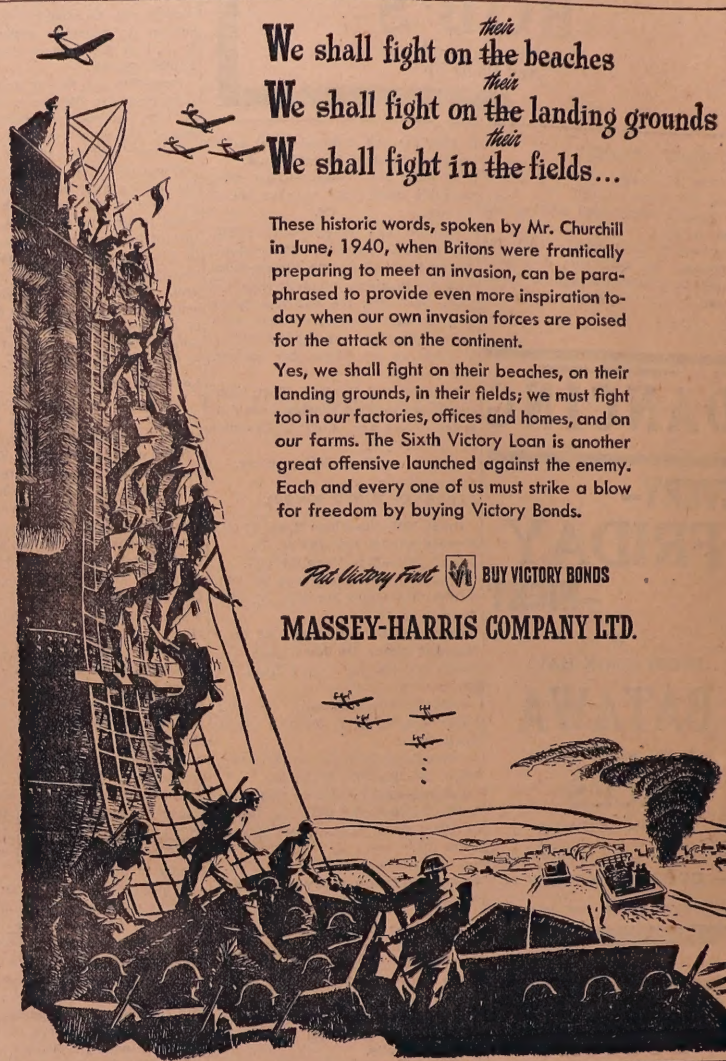
The patient was describing his symptoms to his doctor.

"I feel as if I've got steel bands around my chest," he moaned; "my head's like a sieve; my heart beats like a steam-engine; my eyes are like balls of fire; my throat's like a rasp; my feet are like lumps of lead."

The doctor suppressed a smile.

"H'm," he said. "Well my dear sir, you'd better go straight along to your salvage depot."

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Ogden Shops' floor space of 235,000 square feet, full overhead crane service and geographical location first convinced the Department of Munitions and Supply and its advisers that the Calgary shop was an ideal place to turn out the naval guns and to request was made for its use late in the Fall of 1940. To make way for the navy work the shops had first to be cleared of the major locomotive and mechanical repairs it normally handled for the C.P.R. from British Columbia, Alberta and part of Saskatchewan, with this repair schedule of vital importance in itself to heavy repairs now go to Winnipeg and in some cases as far as Angus Shops in Montreal and light repairs to smaller local repair shops.

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The May session of Sidney Council was held on the 1st inst.

Minutes of the April meeting read and adopted.

Campbell & Danford—That the treasurer and the Reeve or Deputy Reeve be appointed to sign all checks issued by the municipality. C3.

Bleeker and Danford—That relief accounts for April be paid. Cd.
Bleeker and Nicolson—That Road accounts under road voucher No. 5, be paid. Cd.

Danford and Bleeker—That Sidney Council purchase \$3,000 Govt. Bearer bonds of the 6th Victory Loan with the insurance received from the Town Hall fire, the purchase to be made in equal proportions from each of the following canvassers, Mr. S. M. Nicolson, Mr. Edgar Ray and Mr. Earl Morrow. Cd.

Campbell and Danford—That council adjourn to meet Monday, June 5th, at ten o'clock a.m. Court of Revision at 1 o'clock p.m.

W. H. Nobes, Clerk.

REPORT OF MINTO SCHOOL

Grade VIII—Josephine Ryan, 83 (H); Marie Ryan, 74; Eric Brown, 74.
Grade VII—Elda Mayo, 80 (H).
Grade VI—Eva Hagerman, 88 (H).
Grade V—Gerald Forestell, 82 (H).
Betty Ryan, 74.

Grade IV—Kenneth Sine, 86 (H); Margaret Mayo, 74; Nora Ryan, 74; Robert Shields, 61; Gerald Ryan, 44, (F).

Grade III—Ross Twiddy, 84 (H); Patsy Sine, 82 (H); Douglas Broadworth, (71).

Grade II—Ruth Brady, 83 (H); Jean Mayo, 78 (H); John Ryan, 63.

Grade I—Glenn Belcourt, 83 (H); Lois Broadworth, 82 (H); Don Brady, 75 (H); Ernest Mayo, (B); Eugene Ryan (C).

SEA CADETS OF NAVY LEAGUE "NATIONAL ASSET"

In addition to the millions of magazines and hundreds of thousands of woollens the Ontario Division of the Navy League send out yearly to our men of the seas, there is the work among the Royal Canadian Sea Cadets which, in the last fiscal year has increased greatly.

Thousands of the Sea Cadets, trained before the War and since its commencement, are always serving in our own Navy or the British Navy or other branches of His Majesty's Forces.

Captain E. R. Brock, C. B. E., R.C.N.V.R., officer commanding reserve divisions, at a recent conference of Navy League Sea Cadets Committees, said that the Sea Cadet movement in Canada was helpful for the whole country. He stated that although the Sea Cadet movement first helped the naval and merchant marine services the training given to young Canadians in it was helping the future of Canada.

The retail ceiling price on bananas in southern Ontario is 14c per pound.

Impressive Tribute Paid Late Dr. Faulkner

Residents from a cross-section of life in Hastings County together with close personal friends and professional associates form many other parts of the Province paid tribute to the memory of the late Dr. J. Albert Faulkner on Saturday afternoon as they paused from their various tasks to attend funeral services conducted in Bridge Street United Church.

Speaking in brief but fitting eulogy of a man well-loved and respected throughout the country, Rev. Dr. James Semple spoke of Dr. Faulkner's service to God and to his fellow-men as being his ideal of life. "Dr. Faulkner said he knew what it was to be a Christian," stated Dr. Semple, "and we thank God for his service to mankind." Assisting Dr. Semple during the service and at the chapel in the Mausoleum at Belleville cemetery was Rev. H. O. Eastman of Victoria Ave. Baptist Church.

Residents of Sidney and Thurlow townships, the district in which the late Dr. Faulkner was born and conducted his early medical practice, were well represented at the funeral services and filed reverently past his bier at the front of the church for a last look at the face which they had come to love so well. The cross-section of business and professional life in the city and from nearby centres was also well represented at the funeral. The front of the church presented the appearance of a solid bank of flowers, indicative of the high esteem in which the deceased was held in the Belleville community.

Look Upon as Friend

"As a close neighbor, I looked upon the late Dr. Faulkner as a friend," stated Dr. Semple. "A friend in whom I found a constant delight. First of all he was a true son of the great County of Hastings, a county which holds so important a place in the lives of those who hold it dear."

"As a country doctor he had gained a wide circle of close friends, patients who had shown their devotion and faith by following him to the city when he opened his practice in Belleville."

"But the call of service to his country proved greater, and he was called to be Minister of Health for the province of Ontario. Then because of his wide experience he was appointed chairman of the Old Age Pensions Commission and Mothers' Allowance Commission. This was an important post, one requiring broad human service and a great understanding. He took great personal interest in the problems of the common people."

Family in Service

Mention was made by Dr. Semple of the service to their country which the family of the late Dr. Faulkner was contributing. He mentioned two sons in army overseas, while a daughter is in the nursing services of forces in Canada. "All this must be taken into consideration in judging the true service of Dr. Faulkner to his country," concluded Dr. Semple.

Rev. Mr. Eastman in brief eulogy also spoke in high terms of Dr. Faulkner. "He was a man willing to leave the comparative security of practice and private life to offer himself as a servant of the Province. Yet he did not consider himself a public servant, but remained as a friend, a man of simple faith."

Simple but well-loved hymns, "Lead Kindly Light," and "Abide With Me," were sung by the church choir and congregation during the impressive funeral service. Following the service hundreds of interested spectators paid respectful tribute as the funeral cortege passed along Bridge Street en route to Belleville cemetery.

Former associates in the Provincial Public Welfare Department were in attendance at the funeral. These included Mr. H. Bentley, vice chairman of the Mothers' Allowance Board; Mr. Chas. Green, vice chairman of the Old Age Pensions Board, and Mrs. Stewart Sparks, private secretary to Dr. Faulkner. Representing the Department of Health was Dr. D. C. Brink. Representing the Government were the two Hastings members, R. D. Arnott and Roscoe Robson. Mayor Rollins represented the city of Belleville, while Mayor Cory and W. H. Ireland, Ex-M.P.P. from Trenton, attended.

Close personal friends of the family in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peake, the former representing the Toronto Board of Education, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carter.

Bearers included former business and medical associates, Judge C. A. Cameron, Col. Roscoe Vanderwater, Dr. J. J. Robertson, Dr. W. C. Morgan, Mr. Arthur Vermilyea, brother-in-law of Dr. Faulkner, and Mr. Victor Graves, Toronto-Ontario Intelligencer.

The Consumer Branch, WPTB, now has 14,000 members throughout the Dominion watching prices and rendering other services.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Robert Fox

The funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Fox who passed away on Sunday was conducted from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edison Wynn, on Tuesday afternoon.

The service, which was conducted by Rev. J. O. Ralston, was largely attended as the deceased lady was well and favourably known in the community where she had resided for the past 60 years.

A daughter of the late Thos. Little and Mary Ellen Johnston, her maiden name was Mary Jane Little. She was born in Rawdon 78 years ago, and came to Campbellford 60 years ago.

Surviving are two sons, Gordon, of town, and Jack, of Toronto; three daughters, Mrs. Edison Wynn and Mrs. R. Emmons, of town, and Mrs. W. Herriott, Plainville, and one sister, Mrs. Thos. Haig, of town. There are also 17 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Her husband predeceased her in 1937.

The pallbearers were six grandsons, Donald and Stewart Herriott, Earl, William and Gordon Fox, and Gerald Emmons, and the flower bearers, also grandsons, Robert and Clarence Fox. Interment was in Mount Pleasant cemetery—Campbellford Herald.

The deceased lady was the grandmother of Mr. R. E. Fox of this village.

RESULTS HIGH SCHOOL EASTER EXAMS.

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Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 1st.
Doris Pollock—Eng., 1st; Geom., 1st; Agric., 1st; Fr., 1st; Lat., 1st; Mod. Hist., 1st; Def. and P. E., 1st.
Thyra Rose—Eng., 3rd; Geom., 2nd; Agric., C; Fr., C; Lat., F; Mod. Hist., F; Def. and P. E., 2nd.

Donald Runnalls—Eng., C; Geom., F; Agric., F; Fr., C; Lat., F; Mod. Hist., 3rd; Def. and P. E., 2nd.
Gerald Scott—Eng., C; Geom., F; Agric., F; Fr., F; Lat., F; Def. and P. E., 3rd.

Thomas Stocker—Eng., F; Geom., 2nd; Agric., F; Fr., F; Lat., C; Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Grade XI
Ila Barton—Eng., 1st; Agric., F; Agric., F; Fr., F; Lat., C; Anc. & Mod. Hist., 2nd; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Douglas Bastedo—Eng., 3rd; Agric., 3rd; Fr., F; Lat., 3rd; Anc. & Mod. Hist., F; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Eleanor Bush—Eng., 2nd; Agric., 2nd; Fr., 1st; Lat., 1st; Anc. & Mod. Hist., 2nd; Def. and P. E., 2nd.

Mary Chambers—Eng., 1st; Agric., C; Agric., C; Fr., 3rd; Lat., 2nd; Anc. & Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 1st.

Robert Gay—Lat., C.
Raymond Gordanier—Eng., 3rd; Agric., 2nd; Agric., C; Fr., F; Lat., C; Anc. & Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 2nd.

Margaret Gray—Lat., 1st.
Phyllis Heasman—Eng., 1st; Agric., F; Agric., F; Fr., F; Lat., C; Anc. & Mod. Hist., C; Def. and P. E., 1st.

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The Sixth Victory Loan campaign is now in its final stages, and if we are to send a heartening message to the Canadian forces now poised for an invasion of Europe, it is imperative that Hastings County's objective be reached.

Although the national objective has maintained the required daily average necessary to raise the \$1,200,000,000 objective of the Sixth Victory Loan, this is definitely not the case in Hastings county, it is stated by committeemen. Subscriptions of over \$300,000 per day must be attained if Hastings is to reach its objective. And Hastings has never failed in previous loans in her pledge to the armed forces.

Village Has 73%

In Stirling Village, Victory Loan subscriptions up to Tuesday night were \$40,450 or 73 per cent of the \$55,000 objective, while the district, which includes Rawdon and Huntingdon, had raised \$96,400, or only 60% of the \$160,000 objective. These figures clearly show the need for more and bigger subscriptions for bonds if this district is to reach its objective by Saturday night next.

After more than four years of bitter and bloody battles, it is scarcely necessary to remind those on the home front that the present stupendous struggle cannot be brought to a satisfactory conclusion (and as soon as possible, saving the lives of our loved ones) unless every one does his or her bit. The big corporations, which know a sound investment, are buying bonds; the fighting forces and the women's auxiliaries are doing their share to put the loan over the top; the workers in war plants are exceeding their objectives on every hand. If private individuals will re-examine their position and then go out and buy more bonds there is no doubt that the loan will be oversubscribed.

We must not fall our boys overseas. Don't wait until the last minute—Buy a Bond Now!

Following are the amounts and percentages for the county.

Belleville, \$863,350—75%; Trenton, \$324,900—65%; Sidney, Thurlow and Frankford, \$181,250—45%; Deseronto, Tyendinaga and District, \$71,600—60%; Stirling, Rawdon, Huntingdon, \$96,400—60%; Tweed, Hungerford, Elzevir, Grimsthorpe, \$63,850—47%; Madoc, Marmora, Lake, Tudor, Madoc Township, \$78,250—49%; Bancroft and District, \$65,850—45%; Deloro, Village, \$24,000—80%; Armed Forces, \$394,550—132%; Total General Cans, \$2,164,000—70%; Special Names, \$310,200—78%; Grand Total, \$2,474,200—71%.

Name Game Warden

Fred MacDonald of Point Anne has been named Fish and Game Inspector for the Bay of Quinte district by the Ontario Game and Fishery Department. Mr. MacDonald succeeds Herb McCabe, who formerly served as District Game Warden.

85TH BIRTHDAY

Congratulations are extended to Mrs. Geo. Whitty, who celebrated her 85th birthday, on Sunday last.

To Remain Open

At a special meeting of the Town Council, the Seymour Council and members of the medical and dental professions held last week, Dr. E. A. Stuart agreed to carry on the Campbellford Hospital for the sake of keeping it going at least until other arrangements are possible, which will likely be after the war. He said that he would endeavour to keep the institution alive for the time being. The town will give the hospital rent and light free plus \$25 per month and Seymour Township will also contribute a like amount each month.

Salvage Day May 24th

Members of the local chapter of the I.O.D.E., will make a house-to-house canvas for salvage, particularly waste paper and rags, on Wednesday, May 24th next. Citizens are asked to have their salvage ready and placed in a convenient place for collection.

Appointed Grand Steward

Ex-Companion Gordon W. Bailey, of Keystone Chapter, No. 72, R. A. M., Stirling, has been appointed Grand Steward by M. Excellent Companion John M. Burden, of Toronto, Grand Z of Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada.

MILK REPORT

A report received from the Department of Health on the milk supply of A. R. Wannamaker is as follows: B. Coll Count, 30; Standard Plate Count, 4,000 and spreader; Per cent butter fat, 3.5; Result of Phosphatase test, "A".

Passes Fifth Year Exams

Friends will join in extending congratulations to Jack Walker, son of Rev. and Mrs. W.H.V. Walker, who has been successful in his 5th year medical exams at Queen's University. For his 6th and final year Jack will intern under Dr. Ford Connell, and Dr. Wharton.

Give Birth To Large Litters

Two young sows, owned by Robt. Eaton, of Stirling, have responded nobly to the appeal for "more bacon for Britain" in giving birth recently to 37 young piglets, one having a litter of 21 and the other 16. Sixteen of the former litter and fifteen of the latter are still living. In their first litter last fall these sows raised twenty-seven pigs. Altogether this is somewhat of a record of which Mr. Eaton is deservedly proud.

Hon. Dana Porter In Cabinet

Dana H. Porter, Progressive Conservative member for St. George, Toronto, was sworn in to the Drew cabinet as Minister of Planning and Development by Lieutenant-Governor Albert Matthews, in a brief ceremony Monday.

Mr. Porter is a barrister, took an active part in Progressive Conservative discussions at the Port Hope conference, and won his seat of St. George last August in his first appearance in public life. He has been recently parliamentary secretary to Mr. Drew.

Trenton To Have Bowling Club

A lawn bowling club has been organized in Trenton with W. J. Finley as President, according to the Trenton Courier-Advocate. During the fall the green was laid out and built, but was not seeded. The seeding will be undertaken at once, and during the summer months arrangements will be made about the lighting and the further beautification of the immediate property.

The club has twenty-five members to start off with.

Each valid tea or coffee ration coupon is now worth four ounces of tea or 16 ounces of coffee.

Junior Farmer Dance A Success

Drawing For Livestock And Merchandise — Net Proceeds For Patriotic Purpose

The dance held in the Stirling community hall last night by Rawdon Junior Farmers, was a most successful event with one of the largest crowds of the season in attendance. Mule for round and square dancing was dispensed by Austin's Orchestra.

A feature of the evening was the grand drawing for the purebred Holstein calf, "Lucy Re-Echo Posch Blackstone", bred by Wm. Jeffs, Stirling, and the purebred Yorkshire sow "Clavale Pride", donated by Geo. Sutherland, of Stirling, as well as merchandise donated by R. A. Patterson, Bateman's Ladies' Wear and Roy Lancaster. The drawing was made by Miss Lillian Wood, of the local office of the Dept. of Agriculture and resulted as follows:

1st prize—Pure Bred Holstein Calf—Lorne Johnston, Springbrook.
2nd prize—Pure Bred Yorkshire Sow—Joseph Jackson, Springbrook.
3rd prize—\$2.00 merchandise, donated by R. A. Patterson—Geo. Woods, 11 Molra St., Belleville.
4th prize—\$2.00 merchandise, donated by Bateman's Ladies' Wear—John White, Stirling R. R. 3.
5th prize—\$1.25 merchandise donated by Roy Lancaster—Alton Hadley, Stirling.

The net proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes and president Roy Bateman and members of the Association are to be congratulated on the success of the event.

DREW TO SPEAK

Premier George Drew will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon in connection with the annual graduation ceremony of Albert College, Belleville, on Sunday evening next, May 14th, at seven o'clock.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Sgt. Colin Fox, of Clinton, Ont., spent the week-end at his home here.

J. Farnsworth, R.C.N.V.R., is spending a furlough with friends in town. J. Armstrong, R.C.N.V.R., Kingston, was home on Saturday.

Miss Nancy Thain, Stoney Creek, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thain.

Miss Audrey Sheffield, of Belleville, was a guest of Miss Pauline Townsend over the week-end.

Mr. Harold Alcombrack, of Peterboro, spent the week-end at his home here.

WREN Dorothy Hulin, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hulin.

Mr. Jim Ward, Peterboro, spent Saturday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ward.

The Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D., attended the Presbytery, at Bridge St. Church, Belleville, on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. L. Thain, and daughter, of Stoney Creek, are guests this week of Mrs. N. Westcott and Mrs. N. Morton.

Mrs. Walter Wright and Catherine are spending a few days in Toronto this week.

Rev. F. Wooten and Robert Bigkey, of Pleton, spent Sunday with the Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fraser and family, of Kingston, were guests of relatives in Stirling and district over the week-end.

Mrs. J. McC. Potts returned home from Belleville Hospital last night.

Business Men's Assoc'n. Met

Stores Open Tuesday Night Until September 30 — Half Holiday for Eleven Months

A meeting of the Stirling Business Men's Association was held in the Agricultural Rooms, on Monday night. President C. I. Hatton presided and some sixteen business men were present.

The main discussion centred around the advisability of opening the stores on Tuesday nights and the Wednesday half-holiday. It was finally decided to continue as last year, Tuesday night being an open night from May 1st until September 30th, and Wednesday afternoon being a half holiday throughout the year, with the exception of the month of December.

The 24th of May falling on Wednesday, this year, it was decided to close for the day, but the date of observance of Dominion Day was left pending the Dominion Government's proclamation.

Members of the Association were critical of the failure of the Town Fathers to have the streets in the main business section washed down periodically. Councillor Bailey of the Streets Committee was present and agreed to have this work done, with the business men agreeing to turn out and lend their assistance. Tonight (Thursday) was selected as the date for giving the streets their first bath of the season.

Suffers Broken Hip

Friends of Mrs. Geo. Rupert will regret to learn that she slipped and fell at her home here on Thursday last and fractured her hip. She was taken to Belleville Hospital by ambulance and the latest report is that she is making satisfactory progress towards a recovery.

To Unveil Honour Rolls

The Honour Rolls for Mt. Pleasant and Bethel United Churches in the Rawdon Circuit will be unveiled on Sunday, May 21st. The ceremony will take place at Mt. Pleasant at the morning service with Capt. Clifford Holmes officiating, and, at Bethel in the evening with Dr. C. F. Walt, officiating.

New D.D.G.M.

At the annual meeting of Madoc District, No. 45, I.O.O.F., held in Stirling last week, Bro. Leslie Blakely, of Madoc, was elected District Deputy Grand Master for the coming year. Bro. H. Q. Ferguson, of Havelock Lodge was elected District Warden and Bro. R. E. Fox, Stirling, District Secretary.

Heard Over CHEX

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCaughen, of town, members of Claire Wyatt's "Trent Valley Ramblers" are receiving the congratulations of their many friends this week on their fine performance on the air over CHEX Peterborough, on Saturday evening last, on a programme sponsored by R. A. Patterson, local gents' furnisher, and the Bata Shoe Co., of Batawa. In addition to their participation in the orchestra numbers, each contributed a solo. Arthur Duncan, of Batawa, officiated as announcer for the programme.

Minister Inducted

In the presence of a large congregation, the induction of Rev. E. M. Cadigan, the new minister of St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, took place in the Town Hall, on Friday evening. The induction was carried out by Rev. Dr. J. Semple of Belleville, assisted by Rev. A. Poulter, of Madoc, and H. B. Petherly, of Belleville.

Butter Ration Cut Again

Canada's butter ration of one half pound per person per week will be reduced temporarily in June to facilitate the building up of a reserve to meet requirements next fall and winter, the Prices Board has announced.

A reduction in the butter ration had been forecast for several weeks, with Bureau of Statistics reports indicating continued heavy consumption and drain on reserve stocks, and the board said it will be accomplished by postponing until June 8 a coupon which otherwise would have become valid June 1.

Each consumer will thus be asked to give up a half pound of butter—the same reduction as that applied in March.

Back to Two Weeks

The board also announced a return to the previous policy under which two butter coupons will fall due every two weeks instead of one coupon becoming valid every week as at present.

Under the reduction, the pound of butter bought with the coupons 62 and 63, valid May 18, must last for three weeks, until June 8, when coupons 64 and 65 will become valid.

K. H. Olive, Administrator of Dairy Products for the Prices Board, said Canadians face the possibility of a "very low supply" of butter next winter unless conservation is practised now and a start made on building up a reserve.

Current production was running behind that of last year. During Jan., Feb., March and April, the decline in butter output amounted to 12.4 per cent or nearly 8,000,000 pounds compared with the same period in 1943, and there was "no evidence of appreciable change in the trend."

UTILITIES TO PURCHASE \$5,000 VICTORY BOND

The Campbellford Utilities Commission decided Tuesday night to invest \$5,000 in Sixth Victory Loan.

Red Cross Holds Business Meeting

More Red Cross Workers Needed To Meet Increasing Demands For All Supplies

The monthly business meeting was held on Friday, May 5th, with the President in the chair. A letter from Capt. A. M. Lavery was read, full of interesting items re places and people, telling particularly of the Society's adopted overseas boy, Charles Allen, and also claiming himself to be a "Red Cross Booster", as on every hand he sees so much of the good work done by the Red Cross. We can well be proud to have some part in the grand effort being put forth to meet the ever-increasing demands on the Society. And right here may be the place to say—Stirling will have to back down on all quotas unless the women rally round a bit better than they have been doing lately. The sewing and knitting, quilts and other incidentals can not be done by a few faithful workers and the spasmodic efforts of a dozen or so extras. What's to hinder all joining the ranks of the faithful? How many quilts were out last week? Scarcely enough to sit around one quilt. Another quilt was up with absolutely no one to put a stitch in it. The sewing fared a little better but could be improved on. Whose business is this anyway? There isn't any one of us but has husband, son, father, daughter, brother, sister or at least cousins whom you reckon by the dozens, in the scrap or on the verge of the biggest event in all history, and we have to do our housecleaning whether they get comforts or not. Isn't it the truth?

The Treasurer reported April receipts from various sources to be \$274.75. Red Cross teas, \$9.05. Donations from Ladies' Bridge Club to Christmas Box fund, \$6.65. Expenses: Canadian Red Cross \$139.35; Bateman's for batts and thread, \$4.35; Dressmaker's Supp. \$5.91; pmkM Dressmaker's Supply, \$5.92. Follies, \$18.92, laundry of table cloths, \$2.25. It was decided to buy honey again this year as in previous years for overseas shipment. Knitting reported—10 turtle neck and 10 V-Neck sweaters. Quilts—5 large, 3 small. Mrs. T. Tanner donated 1 top and the Carmel ladies 1 finished quilt. Hospital Supplies—253 bandages and 1920 (4 x 4) gauze compresses.

Blood Donors Wanted

What's the matter with the blood donors? When this report was received there had been no volunteer donors. And this with D day upon us! Have we all got poor blood—or just some of us cold feet and a "it's none-of-my-business" complex? Do you ever listen in to the Blood Donors Clinic at Kingston (CKWS) on Monday mornings, following the 9 o'clock news? It sounds great and does the coffee and toast ever smell good! Nice red-headed nurses too! Come on, now—Plasma is a plain necessity to those cousins-by-the-dozen over there. Contact your Red Cross. It needs YOU.

Moved To Madoc

Provincial Constable J. J. Hatch, who has been attached to the district headquarters of the Provincial Police, Belleville, for some time past, was recently transferred to assume the duties in charge of the O.P.P. detachment of Madoc. Provincial Constable R. S. Patterson, who was previously stationed at Madoc, was transferred to Hawkesbury, Ont.

- Coming Events -

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MOTHERS' DAY

Next Sunday, May 14th, is Mother's Day, and special services will be held in the various Sunday Schools and Churches of the district in honour of the good mothers of our land. Fortunately in these days of rush and bustle one day of the year has been set aside as "Mothers' Day." Let us not forget her — she who did so much for us in our infancy, through our childhood, into our manhood, and who stood by us as long as she was able to do so. Often times her back was bent for us, her health sacrificed for our well-being and her mind and thoughts pained by our ingratitude. Mother has always loved us, even when we did not deserve it. What can we do on Mothers' Day to show our love and appreciation? We may have neglected her for some time, if absent from the old home, we can at least write her a letter or send some gift that will please her. Plan something to show that you think of her on this occasion. Be as loyal a son and daughter as she was a mother.

"Nobody knows the work it makes
To keep a house together,
Nobody knows of the steps it takes,
Nobody knows — but Mother."

— V —

AN ARRESTING IDEA

There is a man in Windsor, Ont., with an idea worth examining. He envisages his purchase of Victory Bonds as his personal support of his young nephew now serving in Italy.

Explaining his plan to a friend the other day, he said that his children were all girls. So he chose his sister's son as his direct war interest.

"It's funny how it works", he said. "When I bought bonds in the first and second loans, I measured my purchases by figuring out how much I could comfortably afford. But since I have begun to think of my bond purchases as my backing of this particular lad, I find myself thinking in terms of what he needs instead of what I can afford."

If this idea were adopted generally throughout Canada for the next campaign, bond sales might rise in startling fashion.

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NAVY LEAGUE TAG DAY

The Navy League of Canada is again holding its tag day in our municipality on Saturday, May 20th, and we wish them success in this patriotic effort on behalf of merchant seamen. We live in peace in this community while our brothers, fathers and sons bear the brunt of battle not only on the seas, but also on land and in the air and it is our duty to support every effort, in order to strengthen their morale so that the victory may be ours and not Hitler's.

The Navy League has made marvellous contributions to our fighting naval men and our merchant seamen and its sixteen hostels and recreation centres have added greatly towards the welfare and comfort of these men of the sea. It is interesting to note that during 1943 more than five million seamen crossed the thresholds of the Navy League Seamen's Clubs where good meals and comfortable sleeping accommodation were provided at cost, while hot and cold shower baths, medical and nursing services, recreation and pleasing entertainment, and many other services were given at no cost to seamen. When these men leave the Navy League hostels, they do so with courage in their hearts and thankfulness because of the generosity of Canadian people for all that they have received.

The Department of Naval Affairs have proclaimed time and again that the efforts of the Navy League have done much to keep our seamen on the sea; in keeping their morale high and their courage undaunted in the great battle of the Atlantic and Pacific.

The Navy League, like the Naval Department, give the fullest praise and thanks to our men who have so nobly stood by their duty to their King and Country and it is plainly our duty to give this organization the support that is needed in order to carry on this great undertaking. Only recently the great body of merchant seamen by popular vote completely outlawed strikes by our merchant seamen.

The taggers for the Navy League in this community will feel that they have performed a noble and patriotic service if every citizen gives them the support which they need at this time. We must not allow this opportunity to pass for it forms the first link in the chain that stretches from this community to our brave men of the seas, carrying our concrete 'thank you' for the tremendous service they are rendering in protecting and serving us, for if it were not

for these men, the battles of this war might well be fought on the streets, lanes, highways and fields of our own country.

Let us rise to this task and carry out the noble traditions of Lord Nelson who said so many years ago, "England expects that every man this day will do his duty."

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WASTE PAPER VITAL IN WAR

An appeal is being made by the Department of National War Services for an increased amount of waste paper salvage. The need is urgent and unless the waste paper is forthcoming several aspects of our war effort will be hindered.

The use of paper and cardboard containers in war are many. For instance, in landing operations large quantities of materials are flung overboard, either to float to shore or to be picked up at low tide; these materials are contained in special containers of heavy, processed paper. Containers are used to protect medical supplies, blood plasma shipments, emergency rations, gas masks, and countless other supplies of the Army, Navy and Air Force. On many fronts now, and on many more when the invasion gets under way, supplies and food are dropped to men in isolated positions in paper parachutes. A special type of paper container is used to hold naphtha, benzene and other solvent vapours of high volatility. Electric wires are being laid in conduits of treated paper which replace the clumsier wooden and metal ones. Shells, grenades, fuses, and scores of types of ammunition are protected by paper wrappings. By shipping dehydrated foods in paper packages hundreds of square feet of shipping space is saved; indeed, the saving in this sort of shipping of dried products in wooden cases is reckoned to be 85 per cent. In shell and explosives factories paper containers are used for transporting powder. And for shipping everything—bombs, airplane propellers, ack-ack shells and a thousand other things—paper wrappings and paper containers are needed.

Save your waste paper and cardboard boxes and prepare them for collection by the members of the local Chapter of the I.O.D.E. A house-to-house canvas will be made on May 24th next. Do your bit by salvaging all the paper you can.

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A WARTIME MIRACLE IN CANADA

It was inevitable that with such a vast concentration of machinery, labor and materials on war production, there should be a marked reduction in the quantity of goods available for civilian consumption in Canada. Even now, in spite of diligent efforts to bring supply into harmony with demand, certain shortages persist. Some other goods are beginning to re-appear on the market in limited quantities after a long absence. But, miracle of miracles, the cost of both the scarce goods and of the reappearing goods remains in most cases no more than it was when they were plentiful and easy to obtain.

Therein lies one of the best possible tributes to the efficacy of price control as it has been administered in this country. It has been regarded as one of the almost immutable laws of economics that as supply declines, prices rise. If price control did not impose a check which is proving highly effective, that law would be operating to-day with its full force. In the fact that most prices have been without change, regardless of the supply position of the goods in question, we have undoubted proof of the great value of this system to the consumers of Canada.

We have, indeed, accomplished in this country what was thought by many well-qualified people to be incapable of attainment. Notwithstanding all the pressures that have been operating and that are still operating, we have shown the world that, given determined administration and popular support, it is possible for a country geared to total war to keep its prices under close check and thus to spare itself all the miseries and losses which are bound up with inflation. That which admittedly began as a great experiment considerably more than two years ago has now become a definite success. Canada has been kept free of colossal injury to its consumers and to its entire war effort by its ceilings on prices.

It is a fact easily verified by examination of official documents that no country at war has been more successful in keeping its wartime cost of living under control than Canada. This is not alone due to the manner in which its ceilings have been applied and administered. The record could never have been created without the support and co-operation of all the parties to production and distribution. But for this support our whole wartime stabilization programme would long since have crashed and we would now be mourning its disappearance.

Having conquered inflation so far, we will scarcely, if we count the cost, give ground before its stealthy, insidious attack during the remainder of the war period. If we are well advised and appreciate the good fortune that is ours, we will continue to fight it relentlessly and with every weapon at our command. The call to such united action is just as pronounced to-day as it ever was. If we fail to heed it, we will be the heavy sufferers.

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The R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. are 'saying it' with bombs over Germany—let's back them up at home by Buying Bonds. There's still time to buy an extra bond to help put Hastings County over the top.

News of The Surrounding District

CHEESE MEN TAKE \$10,000 BOND

A move to subscribe \$10,000 to Canada's Sixth Victory Loan was made by members of the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association during their quarterly meeting held at Belleville Thursday. The motion carried unanimously by the eighteen members present and brought to \$40,000 the amount of money the Association has invested in Victory Loans.

RAT BITES CHILD TWICE

The 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Macdonald, Wellington, was severely bitten twice by a rat as he slept in his bed over the week-end. The boy came running to his mother with blood running from his arm stating the big "mouse" was in his bed. After the wound was dressed the child went back to bed, and was again bitten.

TWEED TEACHER RESIGNS

Tweed High School Board met on Monday night to consider the matter of a new teacher for next term. Miss Thelma Priest, who has been in Tweed for the past year has tendered her resignation. All other members of the staff will remain—Tweed News.

AMPUTATION FOLLOWS INJURIES

While cutting logs at a lumber mill near Plevna, Gerald Shier sustained severe lacerations that necessitated the amputation of an arm. He had recently been discharged from the army as he was under age and had been employed at the mill only a few days previous to the accident.

HAVELOCK SAILOR MISSING IN ACTION

Enlisting a little over a year ago, Stocker 1st Class Elmer Howard Stevenson, RCNVR, whose wife, Mrs. Doris Stevenson lives in Havelock, has been reported missing following the sinking of the Athabaskan.

DYNAMITERS DISPLACE 35,000 TONS OF ROCK

About thirty-five thousand tons of trap rock, enough to provide summer employment for a gang of quarry workers, was displaced at the Annual blast, engineered by the Ontario Rock Quarry, three miles east of Havelock. Nearly six tons of dynamite, proportioned in 36 charges, ranging in size from 3 to 12 cases each were used in the project.

This makes the 15th annual blast conducted at the quarry under the direction of Superintendent Harry Scott. His brother, Clifford Scott, was in charge of tunnelling operations and the electric wiring in four series, with 12 to a series. Success of the undertaking was attributed to careful engineering of the Superintendent who doubled the wires of each series to ensure simultaneous explosions.

Limestone and shale taken from the quarry every year is used as a road surface for provincial and municipal highways, and also the finer particles for roofing products.

NEW CONSTABLE AT FRANKFORD

Ed. McGeachy has been appointed Constable and caretaker for the village of Frankford, at a monthly salary of \$105. He succeeds Constable Lockwood, who resigned, and assumes his new duties on May 17th.

What Others Say

STICKERS SAID TO BE IN WRONG PLACE

Motorists generally will meet with the suggestion of a Toronto man that the license stickers on cars be placed on the top centre of the windshield directly behind the rear vision mirrors. He maintains that placing car license stickers on the bottom of the left-side corner of the windshield is dangerous, because it obstructs the view of the left-side fender and the hood; particularly in traffic when one tries to avoid scratching parked cars on the right. Considering similar circumstances of oncoming traffic either driver is in danger of collision through that obstruction of the left side windshield. Unintentional accidents of that nature certainly will be blamed on our Government regulation.—Chesterville Record.

A depressed-looking fellow strolled into the restaurant. A waiter bustled up.

"What will you have, sir? Some cold shoulder?"

"No, thanks; I had that this morning."

"Well, then, tongue, sir?"

"No thanks; I'll get that tonight."

Pat had been hurt. It wasn't much more than a scratch, but his employer, with visions of being obliged to keep him for the rest of his life, sent him to a hospital for examination.

The doctor said: "A subcutaneous abrasion is not observed, I do not think there is any reason to apprehend tegumental cicatrization of the wound."

"Ah!" said Pat in relief. "Ye took the very words out of me mouth."

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

WORST WEEDS ARE MOST PROFILIC

The consideration of the number of weed seeds already in the ground is as important as that of weed seeds, re-introduced in improperly cleaned grain, states the National Weed Committee. Some of the worst weeds are so prolific in the production of seeds that relatively clean fields may become badly contaminated in two or three years if the weeds are allowed to go to seed. For example, a single plant of wild mustard, stinkweed, fox-tail, pigweed or campion produces from 10,000 to 20,000 seeds; wormseed mustard about 25,000; shepherd's purse about 50,000, and tumbling mustard about 1,500,000. With such productivity, seeds become quickly infested with weed seeds and because of being inconspicuous their presence is not fully realized at the time. Only a careful examination will reveal their kinds and numbers.

USE BUCKRAKE TO SAVE TIME, MONEY

What is the most expensive tool on the farm? Dr. E. S. Archibald, Director of the Experimental Farms Service, says it is the three-tined fork. He says it is essential that farmers handle their hay by machine to save labour, time and expense.

Discarding the old fashioned hay fork, and hay wagon, many farmers are now using the buckrake to haul their hay from field to barn. They have found that a properly built buckrake operated by a good driver will handle hay more efficiently than any existing machine. And the buckrake is infinitely more efficient than the three-tined fork.

The buckrake is a kind of hay sweep

with long projecting teeth. It is usually attached to a tractor but may be attached to an automobile or truck chassis. The buckrake sweeps hay up from the field and then both sweep and its load are hoisted to clear the ground so that the load can be transported. At the barn, the load is dumped where it may be handled with the usual equipment.

It is not too early in the season to plan now on using a buckrake in the hayfield this summer. Free plans on how to build a buckrake may be obtained by writing to the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

ALFALFA FOR HENS

Grass-fed hens are invariably in good plumage, and good plumage is an indication of good health. One of the best assets a poultryman can have is a mow full of dark-green, short-cut, early-cut alfalfa, or clover with leaves and tendrils intact.

WHEN HORSE COUGHS IT MAY BE SERIOUS

Horses are subject to four common respiratory diseases — contagious pneumonia, infectious bronchitis, influenza, and strangles—and according to veterinary authorities, the mortality from contagious pneumonia generally ranges from fifteen to twenty per cent. This disease is characterized by poor appetite, fever, coughing, difficult breathing, general depression, and circulatory weakness. When symptoms of contagious pneumonia occur, the affected animals should be isolated and a veterinarian called as promptly as possible.

In cases of infectious bronchitis, the greatest danger is the possibility that pneumonia may develop. Bronchitis in horses is caused by a virus, and is characterized by coughing, fever, and inflammation of the mucous membranes of the head. The best treatment is rest. Horses which have recovered from bronchitis should not be put back to work too soon, or they may develop secondary infections which may prove fatal.

Equine influenza is also dangerous mainly because of the complications which may develop. Symptoms of this disease include chills and fever, lack of appetite, difficult breathing and inflamed eyes. Horses showing these symptoms should be given complete rest, and in certain cases medication may be helpful. The animals should be watched carefully, however, because pneumonia may easily develop just at a time when the danger from influenza seems to have passed.

MUST TAG SEED POTATO CONTAINERS

No potatoes can be sold or offered for sale legally as seed potatoes unless they are in a container to which an official tag is attached, but there is no reference, in the regulations governing the sale of certified seed potatoes, to the size of container. Certified seed potatoes may be sold in bags of any size, provided that an official tag is attached thereto.

Certified seed potatoes are usually shipped in bags of 75 or 100 pounds, but a seedsmen who wishes to sell bags of 15 or 25 pounds to wartime gardeners, may arrange with a producer to supply certified seed potatoes in bags of these sizes. An official tag would then be attached to each container before delivery to the seedsmen.

War-time gardeners who are unable to obtain seed potatoes in small lots from seedsmen, are advised to club together to purchase large bags for subsequent division among themselves.

Certified seed potatoes, like certified or registered seed of other crops, are identified by official tags, issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The following details are printed on the tags that are issued for certified seed potatoes: the description of the class of seed, that is "Certified Seed Potatoes", "Certified Foundation A Seed Potatoes", or "Certified Foundation Seed Potatoes", name of variety; the certificate number of the seed; the date of the official inspection of the seed; and a copy of the official seal bearing the words, "Department of Agriculture—Canada—Plant Protection Division—Science Service."

Under the ration regulations, a bee-keeper and members of his household may consume as much of the honey of his production as they desire without surrendering coupons.



5th GURKHA REGIMENT IN ITALY

The Gurkhas are born soldiers, famous for their ferocity and fearlessness in action. Though excellent marksmen they are in their element in close quarters fighting.

Their Kurki's are much feared by the enemy. Picture Shows: A typical Gurkha despatch rider, member of the 5th Gurkha Regiment operating with the Allied forces in Italy.

Questions and Answers Concerning The War Time Prices and Trade Board Rulings

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other War time Prices and Trade Board rulings should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ontario:—

Q. I read in the paper that each person will be able to get 23 lbs. of canning sugar this year. Will you explain this to me?

A. Every consumer in Canada is entitled to 10 lbs. of canning sugar by special coupon. She may also convert her 26 preserve coupons into sugar, if she wishes. Each coupon is good for one-half pound of sugar, thus enabling the consumer to attain a maximum of 23 lbs. of sugar in addition to her normal sugar rations.

Q. I asked for a second cup of coffee with my dinner at a hotel last week and was told that it was against the law to give second servings of tea or coffee. Is this right, now that

the tea and coffee ration has been increased?

A. In spite of the increase in the tea and coffee ration, no second servings of tea and coffee in public eating places are allowed.

Q. When will the F Coupons for canning sugar become valid?

A. The F Coupons for canning sugar become good five at a time, the first five becoming valid on May 25. The second five will fall due July 6.

Q. I am interested in the apparent need for horsehair. Will you tell me what it is used for?

A. Horsehair is much needed in wartime production. It is chiefly used for navy mattresses, shock pads and cushions for army trucks and aircraft; also for gun-cleaning brushes and industrial brushes for use in war plants.

Q. We are moving to a distant part of Canada and I am anxious to dispose of our electrical refrigerator. Am I allowed to charge any price for it?

A. No. There are specific ceilings

governing the sale of such household equipment. Give details concerning it to the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board and you will be able to learn the applicable ceiling.

Q. Is there any regulation governing the installation of fluorescent lighting fixtures?

A. Yes, indeed. Fines ranging from \$30 to \$100 have been recently imposed for such installations having been made without obtaining the requisite permits.

Subsidies for canning crops will be continued this year, it is announced. Tomatoes get the most attention with a \$6 a ton subsidy for producers selling to processors—an increase of \$3 over 1943. The subsidy of \$4 remains unchanged for corn; peas \$10 shelled weight or \$2 straw weight; green and wax beans \$7.50 a ton. The government is containing these subsidies in the fear that other crops requiring less labour might be substituted. This fear was borne out by the fact that production of tomatoes, corn, peas and beans declined last year.

There has been quite a change in the regulations for Spring seeding and harvest leave granted army personnel, such a leave now being extended from six weeks to two months.

An interesting factor is that restrictions have been eliminated on the number who may be granted agricultural leave. Last year there was a limit of five per cent from any particular unit. This year only those who are deemed essential, cannot go. Applications for leave must come from the soldiers themselves, and they must pay their own transportation.

Five Canadian artists have been overseas placing on canvas for future generations the life of Canada's sons in World War II. First results have been included in a recent exhibition of war art at the National Gallery in London, England. From time to time the finished paintings will be shown across the Dominion eventually to form a national collection

which will surely be reflected in the murals of Canadian public buildings. The artists even shared the life of operational stations, went on coastal patrols, to get "the feel" for the canvases.

At various times farmers have protested daylight saving as a permanent wartime measure. A survey by the Power Controller of Canada brought the information that for the Maritimes cancellation would mean an estimated 10 per cent increased power demand, undesirable at present; Quebec's power in metropolitan areas would jump 60,000 H.P. which couldn't be taken care of by present generating capacity; Ontario would see demand rocketed by 75,000 H.P., while British Columbia generating stations are already overloaded. Only the prairie provinces report sufficient capacity to carry increased demand.

All this talk about Ottawa being a "girl-town" seems to be ocular misconception. The whole nation will probably be astounded, as was the writer, to learn from latest figures of the Bureau of Statistics that Ottawa has 72,800 males, 82,351 females. But you wouldn't think so by the street glance. Of the total, 31,500 were shown as English origin, 32,347 Irish, 19,520 of Scottish extraction and 48,081 French. Eskimos and Indians resident in Ottawa number 41.

The little church was full, but the marriage ceremony seemed in danger of being stopped, for the bridegroom was deaf and could not hear the important question: "Wilt thou have this woman for thy lawful wedded wife?"

"Eh," said the deaf man. The clergyman raised his voice: "Wilt thou have this woman for thy lawful wedded wife?"

This seemed to annoy the bridegroom. "Oh, I don't know," he said. "She isn't so awful. I've seen worse than her that didn't have half as much money."

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Auditor's Report

FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF RAWDON

JAN. 1st to DEC. 31st, 1943

REVENUES	
Taxation	
Municipal	\$28092.22
Schools	20642.87 \$48735.09
Licences, Permits, Fees,—	
Dog Tax	\$ 726.00
Grants and Subsidies,—	
Prov. Municipal (1. Mill)	1705.27
Prov. Subsidy, roads	2354.00
Equipment Grant	270.43 4329.70
All other Revenue	276.39
Total Revenue	\$54067.18
EXPENDITURES	
General Government:	
Salaries	\$ 1676.94
Printing	206.25
Legal	23.00
Surveyor's Fees	60.68 1966.87
Public Works, Roads, Etc.	
Road Account	7332.06
Renovating Hall	857.34
Tile, Account	125.00 8314.40
Public Welfare	
Relief	106.81
Other	161.00 267.81
Education	
Public Schools	20432.77 20432.77
County Rates	22011.27
All Other Expenses,—	
Sheep	234.00
Miscellaneous	469.07 693.07
Total Expenditures	\$53836.19
Surplus for current year	380.99
Grand Total	\$54067.18
RECEIPTS	
Bal. from 1942 Account	\$ 2630.12
Taxes:	
Received from 1943 Roll	\$34000.00
Arrears and Penalties	13083.38
Rec'd from County Treas.	681.21 47764.59
Grants and Subsidies:	
Prov. Subsidy	1705.27
Prov. Subsidy, roads	2354.00
Equip. grant, schools	270.43 4329.70
Bank interest	84.26
All other receipts	192.13
Total Receipts	\$55000.90

DISBURSEMENTS	
General Government:	
Salaries and remuneration	\$ 1676.94
Printing and Adv.	206.25
Legal costs	23.00
Surveyor's fees	60.68 1966.87
Public Works:	
Road Account	7332.06
Renovating Hall	857.34
Tile Account	125.00 8314.40
Public Welfare:	
Board of Health	161.00
Charity	106.81 267.81
Public Schools	20432.77
County Rates	22011.27
All Other Disbursements	
Sheep Account	234.00
Grant Agri. Soc.	35.00
Premium on bonds	46.00
Springbrook Hydro	83.72
Miscellaneous	294.35
	693.07
Total Disbursements	\$53836.19
Bal. to 1944 Account	1314.61
	\$55000.80

CURRENT SURPLUS ACCOUNT	
Surplus from 1942	\$15522.68
Written Off	25.34 \$15497.34
Rec'd Int. and County Treas.	877.03
Surplus from 1943	380.99
	\$16755.36

TAXES RECEIVABLE	
Total	1943 1942 1941
Bal. Jan 1, 1943..	12892.56 12840.00 62.56
Current Levy	49461.09 49461.09 303.51
Penalties	303.51 303.51
Total Debits	62657.16 49461.09 13143.51 62.56
Tax Collections:	
Cash	46160.04 34000.00 12160.04
Penalties	303.51 303.51
Transferred	697.79 645.23 52.56
Written Off	25.34 25.34
Total credits	47186.68 34000.00 13134.12 62.56
Bal. due	15470.48 15461.09 9.39

CAPITAL BALANCE SHEET	
Assets:	
Land and Buildings	\$ 3560.00
Machinery	5514.06 \$ 9074.06
Liabilities:	
Due on machinery	734.05
Capital surplus	7340.00 8074.05

CURRENT BALANCE SHEET	
Assets:	
Balance in Bank	1314.61
Taxes receivable	15470.48 16785.09
Liabilities:	
Current Surplus	16755.09 16785.09

VOLNEY RICHARDSON, Auditor



St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, May 14th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Special Mother's Day Programme.
3.00 p.m.—West Huntingdon Special Mother's Day Programme

Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D., Minister

Sunday, May 14th, 1944
11.30 a.m.—Wellmans.
3.00 p.m.—Bethel.
8.00 p.m.—Mt. Pleasant.
Mother's Day Services.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. David Gray, Minister in Charge
Sunday, May 14th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Mother's Day Service
3.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School and Congregation Mother's Day Service.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bailey celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary on Sunday, May 7th. Their granddaughter, Mrs. Gordon Allison, Belleville, spent the week-end with them and they all attended the afternoon service at Mt. Pleasant United Church. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey spent the afternoon in Belleville and had their photos taken. The community join in congratulations.

Mr. Earl Rutan attended the funeral of his grandfather at Newburgh,

on Sunday.

Several from Mt. Pleasant attended the funeral of Mrs. Sanford Hubble, Sidney, on Monday afternoon. The interment was made in the cemetery at Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Hubble is well-known here, having resided in this community.

Mr. Albert Dunkley is seriously ill at his home.

Mr. Herbert Smith attended the Blood Donor Clinic in Belleville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine, Muriel and Doris, Mrs. H. Sine and Mrs.

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, May 14th, 1944

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.

8.00 p.m.—Gospel Service

Thursday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting

Thomas Andrews attended the funeral of Mr. Sylvanus Sine on Sunday at Salem United Church.

Mrs. Ellen Sharp is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Johnson. The Williams School was closed on Monday owing to illness of the teacher.

The Misses Alma and Helen Johnson, Belleville, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

Pte. Richard Walls Cornwall, visited his brother, Charlie Walls, on Saturday.

Miss Ella Wannamaker, Eggleton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharp, on Sunday.

Miss Lois Weaver visited Miss Ruth Rose on the occasion of the latter's birthday.

On Sunday afternoon, Rev. T. F. Townsend was assisted by Rev. Wooten, Picton, who spoke in the interests of the Ontario Temperance Federation. He said over two hundred and fifty million dollars was spent for alcoholic beverages last year. During the service, Mrs. Edgar McKeown sang, "Somebody Knows."

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher recently attended the I.O.O.F. service in Stirling.

Y. P. U.
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hubble, entertained Mt. Pleasant Young People's Union with over twenty-five in attendance.

The president, Miss Muriel Welbourn opened and used a very effective worship service based on "Christ has no hands but our hands to do his work to-day." Suitable hymns and Bible readings were used with Mrs. Hubble playing the piano accompaniment. In the business portion a secretary was appointed pro tem.

It was decided that twenty-dollars be donated to Missions for 1944; also that the ten cent membership fees be collected at the next meeting.

Mrs. Thrasher was given authority to purchase a container to prepare coffee. The president read the newspaper report of the recent Y.P.U. Convention and outlined the impressive candle-lighting service.

Mrs. Sid Demorest, convener of Missions then took charge.

Mrs. Ira David read an interesting story re "The Repatriates on the Gripsholm."

Master Nell Hubble sang, "Father We Thank Thee."

Mrs. Will Jeffs sang, "If he had only written just a line", with guitar accompaniment.

Mrs. Herbert Smith gave a splendid Missionary paper based on the last chapter of the Study Book, "For All of Life."

She paid tribute to the work of our missionaries and pointed out that the church and its membership must help to build in a new way in order that all the world will be for Christ.

Master Gordon Reid contributed a piano solo, "Bon ton—Gavotte." Mrs. Marguerite McMullen sang "Somebody else needs Him too." Miss Edna Hubble read, "A Patriotic Creed."

Mrs. Percy MacMullen staged a contest, "Business Men of Stirling", and Mrs. Demorest conducted "An Art Gallery contest."

Rev. T. F. Townsend voiced the thanks of those present to the host and hostess and closed the service.

Mrs. Hubble and Miss Joyce Groves served home-made candy and all enjoyed a social half-hour.

WEST HUNTINGDON

Rev. F. J. Lane, of Wellington, had charge of the services in United Church, on Sunday, and Mr. Kenneth Stewart, conducted the services on the Wellington Circuit.

Rev. Mr. Thompson, a former minister of the Standard Church, of Ivanhoe and who has been a chaplain in the army, was the special minister on Sunday in the Standard Church in the morning, and in the United Church, White Lake in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green and sons, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brooks, of Conseccon.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart and Mr. Philip Carr, attended Presbyterian meeting at Belleville, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Harold, Bryant, were Sunday afternoon guests at Arthur Wilson's.

Mrs. E. T. Searles and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McMurray, of Gilmour.

FULLER

Mission Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morland, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Rollins and Ivan spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Farney, West Huntingdon.

Mr. Steve Kellar has returned to his home Crookston after spending a few weeks at his sons, Mr. Joe Kellar.

On Friday afternoon, the School children enjoyed a picnic in the wood this being Arbor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Meloy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marney Morland, on Friday evening.

Dealing in cars seems to be the style here as Messrs. Arthur Morgan, Walter Thompson and Arthur Brough have recently purchased cars.

Mrs. Dufoe, of Madoc is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Kellar and Mr. Kellar.

Rev. J. F. Lane, of Wellington conducted the services in the United church on Sunday afternoon. A baptismal service took place before the sermon. Those being baptized were Sharon Kellar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kellar; Evelyn Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dean. Sheila Switzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Switzer; also Glenn Brough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough.

Mrs. Harry Redcliffe has returned home from Belleville Hospital; also Miss Della McMaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine and Reggie; also Mr. John Geen attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Sanford Hubble, of Sydney.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Wright, of Stirling, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Switzer and Sheila, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kellar.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. George Wood and son of Ivanhoe. Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMaster and Larry, of Minto; also Mr. and Mrs. Harold Christie, of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Garance Bird and Yvonne, have taken up duties in Walkerville.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Leslie Adams in receiving the sad news her brother, Sgt. Ray Tanner is missing overseas. We are all hoping for good news soon.

SPRINGBROOK

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Cassidy, on the arrival of a fine baby girl.

Miss Susie Tanner spent last Thursday visiting her niece, Miss Betty Haggerty, Kingston.

Mr. Murney Mason, Norma and Garry, are spending a few days in Toronto. Mrs. Mason who is a patient in the Toronto General Hospital underwent a serious operation on her shoulder. Friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Florence Galloway is spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray, Stirling.

Miss Marjorie Bateman, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman.

Mrs. Robert Simpson and Bruce, of Toronto, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison, 4th Line, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Walter Heath and Maurice.

L.A.C. Clinton Lough and Mrs. Lough, Hagersville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lough.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Reid were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reid, on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Charles Benson is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. O. Crosby, at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Melkjohn and girls, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Barnum, Rylestone, on Friday.

Springbrook W. A.

The May meeting of the Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. J. McKeown. Meeting opened by the President, Mrs. Walter Heath, with singing of "O'Happy Day". Mrs. T. H. McKeown gave a talk on "The Church, the World and You", the reading of Psalm 27 and prayer. The visiting committee reported and a committee appointed for May were: Mrs. Spry; Mrs. Haslett and Mrs. McKeown. The roll call—"Why Join The Church", was well responded to with an attendance of 13 members. The business meeting then followed.

Programme for June left to the following—Miss E. Peake, Mrs. Spry, Mrs. Runnalls and Mrs. C. Burklit. Delegates appointed to the convention were Mrs. W. Neale and Mrs. J. McKeown. The topic for the day, "The World, the Church and You," was given by Mrs. Granville Melkjohn.

This was followed by a reading by Mrs. E. Spry. A contest on names of members of W. A. concluded the programme and meeting closed with singing of a hymn and prayer.

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MADOC JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett and Rosella, were dinner guests on Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Eggleton, Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley, called on the latter's sister, on Sunday. Mrs. Robert Lake, of Rawdon, who is confined to her bed through illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid and children, attended the funeral of the late Mr. Sylvanus Sine, at Salem on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker and Ella, were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharpe, at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow and Miss Helen McMullen, spent the tea-hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kelly, Warkworth.

Seymour Ashley, of R.C.A.F., at Fingal, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chambers were Pte. Herbert Woods, of Delbert, Nova Scotia, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Stuart and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and Eric; Miss Barbara Woods, R.N., all of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hubbel, of Hards, were guests on Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

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Court of Revision

ON ASSESSMENT ROLL, VILLAGE OF STIRLING FOR 1944

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for the Municipality of Stirling, will be held in the Council Chambers, on Monday, May 15th, 1944, at the hour of 7.30 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of hearing and determining complaints against the Assessment Roll of the said Municipality for the year 1944.

All persons interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Dated May 3rd, 1944.
36-2 G. H. Luery, Clerk

Court of Revision

TOWNSHIP OF RAWDON

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the Township of Rawdon will be held at Rawdon Town Hall on

MONDAY, MAY 29th, 1944 at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. for the said Municipality for the year 1943. All persons interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Harold, Ontario, May 6th, 1944.
W. J. Barlow, Clerk of Rawdon 37-3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of February, 1944, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of June, 1944.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That after the said date the administrators will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville this 3rd day of May, 1944.

CAMERON & SPRAGUE, Barristers, Etc., Belleville, Ont. 36-3 Solicitors for the Administrators

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Minnie Agnes Foreman, Deceased.

The creditors of Minnie Agnes Foreman, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Widow, deceased, who died on April 13th, 1944, are notified to send to the undersigned Executors or their solicitors their claims against the Estate of the said deceased on or before the 11th day of June next.

Immediately after the said last mentioned date the assets of the said Estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims delivered as fore-said.

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—Sadly missed by wife and daughter. 37-1tp

IN MEMORIAM

BAILEY — In loving memory of Mrs. John L. Bailey, who passed away, May 16th, 1943.

Safe in the arms of Jesus, Safe on His gentle breast, There by his love o'ershaded Sweetly her soul shall rest.

—Ever remembered by husband, daughter and son. 37-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. W. H. Cooke and family wish to express to friends and neighbours their sincere appreciation for acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, and beautiful floral tributes; also the members of Stirling Lodge, A.F. & M., No. 69, during their recent sad bereavement. 37-1tp

BIRTH

CASSIDY — At Nicolson's Nursing Home, on Friday, May 5th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Cassidy, of Springbrook, a daughter.

BARRON — At Nicolson's Nursing Home, on Saturday, May 6th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Barron, of Stirling (a son).

MENIE

Mrs. C. B. Stephens was rushed to Belleville General Hospital, on Friday where she underwent an operation. We wish a very speedy recovery for her. Her daughter, Mrs. Laverne Sauch, of Bowmanville, is remaining at her home.

Mr. G. H. Wallace, spent Sunday with his wife, Mrs. Wallace at St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterboro, where she has been a patient. May she soon have a complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen and Floyd, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Sauch and Allan and Mrs. Verna Willis, of Bowmanville, spent the week-end with Mr. C. B. Stephens and spent Sunday with Mrs. Stephens at Belleville.

Congratulations to Mr. Geo. Bennett who celebrated his 84th birthday on Thursday last.

Mrs. Hobbs has returned to her post at N. Y. hospital, after spending a week's vacation under the parental roof.

Very glad to see Mr. Roy Walker around again from his recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCrory and George, of Ridge Road, Stirling, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCrory.

Farmers are being held up with the recent rains. Several are already finished, while some are reported having to plow up clover and wheat crops, which have been killed out during the winter.

CARMEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pyear and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear and Douglas, attended the funeral of their uncle, the late A. W. Mairs, held at Sulphide, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weaver, Trenton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and Verna, spent Sunday with friends at Wooler.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pyear and Larry, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick, Delora.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear, were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hagerman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCoy, Bannockburn.

Mrs. Arthur Wilson and Mrs. Bessie Spencer, Holloway, spent Thursday with Mrs. S. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond, Campbellford, were Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Lillie Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fraser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fraser and family, Kingston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Major Fraser.

HALLOWAY

Mrs. Ed. Emerson and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Townsend and Clinton attended the funeral of the late Mr. H. Badgley, of Corbyville.

Private Bert Eggleton is spending some time at his home here.

Mrs. Blake McMullen called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelly and Mr. William Kelly on Friday. Mr. Harry Kelly recently underwent an operation in the Belleville General Hospital and is progressing favorably.

His friends all wish him a speedy recovery.

Friends of Mr. Arthur Reid will be sorry to hear he has been confined to his bed with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend and family spent Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Foster.

Congratulations to Mr. William Kelly and his sister, Mrs. J. Lowery, who celebrated their eighty-second birthday on May 5th.

BONARLAW

A successful euchre was held on Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gordon under the auspices of The Springbrook Women's Institute, Bonarlaw Group. Eleven tables of progressive euchre were played, the prizes going to Mrs. Wilson Campbell, and Mr. Frank Cosby. At the close of the game a bountiful lunch was served after which an orchestra composed of Thos. Neal and Ray McLaren furnished music for some square and round dancing.

Mrs. Geo. E. Eastwood, president of the W. I. thanked Mr. and Mrs. Gordon for the use of their home.

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Gunner J. W. Symons, Stirling.
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O. Toupah, Stirling.
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D. Payne, Stirling.
Gr. James Wannamaker.
Gunner Roy Sharp.
Gnr. Geo. Dunkley.
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Gnr. J. G. McFarland.
Gr. L. A. Williams, Hoards.
Sgt. James A. Thompson, Stirling.
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Donald Loshaw, Stirling.
Arden Loshaw, Stirling.
Sdr. Vernon Wannamaker, Stirling.
William McMullen, Holloway.
Stanley Cook, Holloway.
Gr. C. J. Stapley, Stirling.
Gr. Gordon Goulet.
John Rosebush, Stirling.
Gr. James Kirkey, Stirling.
Trooper Ray White, Stirling.
Gordon Cooper, Springbrook.
Gr. Allan Sine, Stirling.

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Pte. Donald Bibby, Holloway.
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Pte. Raymond Scott.
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Pte. Delbert Ashley, Stirling.
Pte. Wm. S. Gray.
Pte. Elmer West.
Pte. H. Lummis.
Pte. G. J. Ackers.
Pte. G. T. Cook, Harold.
Pte. E. E. Curlette, Holloway.
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Pte. G. D. Stephens, Holloway.
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Pte. Jas. Akey, Holloway.
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Sgt. John Loshaw, Stirling.
Fred Dalnair, Stirling.
Irvine Woodcock.
Pte. Leonard Ray, Springbrook.
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Midland Regiment

Cpl. Roy McGee, Campbellford.
Prince of Wales Rangers
Capt. Lorne Bateman, Springbrook
Bateman, Lieut. H. Springbrook.
Lt. D. C. Mumby, Stirling.

Royal Canadian Navy

Leslie Chambers
A.B. Walter Rodgers.
Wm. B. Heath, Stirling.
A/Vs Don Broadworth, Stirling.
Jack Thompson, Springbrook.
Bob Jones, Stirling.
Dr. Marvis Wellman.
Seaman E. E. Faulkner, Stirling.
Jack Farnsworth, Stirling.
Norman Murray, Stirling.
Malcolm Reid, Stirling.
Mac Lummis, Stirling.
Al/E. St. Frank Haggerty, Stirling.
E. Eaton, Stirling.
A.B. Vernon D. Runnalls, Harold.
Wm. Morton, Stirling.
Max Armstrong, Stirling.
Russell West, Stirling.
Robt. Luery, Stirling.
Reg. Hellwell, Stirling.
Bob Farrell.
Clinton Hubble.
John R. Prest, Bonarlaw.
Arthur McMullen, Springbrook.
John Fargay, West Huntingdon.
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Gordon Tanner, Stirling.

WREN

Mary E. Hullin, Stirling.
Dorothy Hullin, Stirling.
Sist. Alta. Reconnaissance Regt.
Don H. Morton, Stirling.
C.W.A.C.
Marjorie West, Stirling.
Pte. Knox, L. J., Springbrook.
Pte. Audrey Bateman, Springbrook.
Pte. Marion Phillips, Stirling.



Recruiting Methods

In answer to a question in Parliament about a so-called questionnaire which, it was alleged, had been distributed among the armed forces in this country in an effort to induce or to "coerce" them to enlist for overseas service and about other methods used in general for recruiting such volunteers, the Minister of National Defence, Hon. J. L. Ralston, declared that it seemed to him that it was the duty of the army to tell the people of Canada the needs of the volunteer army in the same forceful way as the sale of bonds. "That is being done, and, when my honourable friend uses the word 'coerce', he uses a word which is not only unauthorized but is totally unjustified," said in part this Minister. Then at another point he disclosed that about 3,000 have been volunteering monthly.

Cabinet Reorganization Demanded

During a heated discussion in the House of Commons on the Government's plan to establish a Department of Reconstruction and Department of Veterans' Affairs, a strong demand was made by the Opposition leader, Gordon Graydon, that the Government should not enlarge its Cabinet but rather reorganize it with a view to decrease the number of Ministers, pointing out that there were already no less than 19 Ministers, including the Prime Minister, leader of the Senate, and seven Parliamentary Assistants, and arguing that some of the Ministers did not have much work under the present set-up. The Official Opposition leader insisted that he was motivated by the national interest and not by politics and that he approved of the objectives to create a special department which would devote itself to help the veterans to the fullest extent, even adding that more provisions should be made to assist these men from the armed services, such as onus of proof of disability being put upon the Government, clothing allowances increased, etc. However, the Government's reply stressed that the work of the members of the Cabinet had been increased greatly by the war and that there would be a reorganization of the Cabinet as well as a reduction in its number of departments when peace will again prevail, insinuating that the new department would be entrusted to a member of the present Cabinet and that the existence of the Department of National War Service would not be for a very long time now.

Change Contemplated

Slowly but surely there has developed a recognition along Parliament Hill that the industries of Canada may find it most difficult, if not impossible, to put aside now suitable funds for post-war work under the present high taxation system so that it should prove no surprise if proper and certain changes or concessions are made to taxation as encouragement of such efforts and operations. Indeed, the Minister of National Revenue, Hon. Colin Gibson, has given a broad hint in a speech of such possibilities by admitting that "that matter now is being seriously considered." Furthermore, he also said in part: "I have no doubt whatever that by careful planning and progressive legislation the prosperity that has been built up in Canada during the war can be continued in the years of peace."

Draft Deferments Disclosed

The Minister of Labour, Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, has declared in Parliament that more and more men now on draft deferment as well as those coming of age would have to be depended upon to fill Canada's growing need of men according to the circumstances of the war or the mobilization regulations, with a hint being given that such deferments for industrial workers bound to be reduced in number. He disclosed also that there had been 503,283 applications for draft postponements and that 437,103 had been allowed 66,183 having been refused. As of March 31, 1944, the Minister pointed out that draft deferments were classified as 2,317 in fishing, 5,382 in lumbering, 2,562 in mining, 62,341 in essential industries and services, 14,497 as students, 8285 as conscientious objectors, etc., with 145,529 in farming or 83 per cent of the applications of agricultural workers from May 15 to March 31, 1944.

Armed Services and Legal Problems

A member of Parliament has asked the Government of Canada that it should enact legislation similar to the "Sparkman Act" in the United States whereby men and women in the armed

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THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



Hello Homemakers! Owing to the present conditions, such as over-taxed transportation facilities, labor shortage and other wartime difficulties, green vegetables might well be high-priced. In fact we could expect these summer vegetables to be scarce and also be beyond the possibilities of the average food budget.

However, there are plenty of nutritious greens available now—within the reach of many of us. We all know dandelions and watercress. They are good and you can obtain them free of charge—picking them yourself.

The favourite busy-day dish is hot potato salad to serve with these greens. Cheap too. You make it this way. Peel and cube potatoes. Cook in a small amount of water. Meanwhile fry a cup of diced salt pork. Carefully pour in one-quarter cup of vinegar and one-quarter cup of water. Add salt, pepper and any other seasoning such as onion, watercress or celery tops. This is enough dressing for four cups of potatoes. Drain potatoes and pour over the dressing. Mix lightly and serve.

Hot potato salad and cooked greens are delicious and weiners or veal chops. A good milk pudding will top this easy to prepare dinner, you'll agree.

CARROT LOAF

2 cups cooked rice, 2 cups sliced young raw carrots, 1 small dry onion, 3-4 cup celery leaves, 3 eggs, 1 cup evaporated milk (undiluted), 2 teaspoons salt, few grains of pepper, 1-16 teaspoon chili powder, Green peas for filling.

Cook the rice and drain. Put carrots, onions and celery leaves through a food chopper, using the fine knife. Beat the eggs well and mix all ingredients except peas. Fold in the rice, and pour into a greased mold. Bake until mixture is set at 350 degrees F., for about forty minutes. Loosen gently and turn onto a heated platter. Fill the ring with peas or diced brown potatoes.

DANDELION GREENS

Wash greens in several waters, swishing each stalk through the water and looking it over carefully for dirt. Cut off and discard the tough stem ends. The washing is really the most time taking step in the preparation.

To cook, drain the greens carefully from the last wash-water, pack into a large kettle. Cover and place over a low heat until the greens wilt and water collects in the bottom of the pan. Then remove the cover, turn up the heat and cook quickly, five to eight minutes, no longer. Season with salt during the last five minutes of cooking, one-half teaspoon salt is sufficient for one pound of greens. Stir it into the vegetables well. Drain the greens by lifting them up with a fork, letting them drip in the kettle a second, then transfer at once to a hot vegetable dish. Serve immediately, plain, or garnished with wedge-shaped

SPINACH TIMBALES

2 cups cooked spinach or greens
2 eggs, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons butter, 1-4 cup grated cheese, 1-2 teaspoon salt. Drain spinach well and chop fine.

Separate eggs. Beat yolks, add milk, melted butter, grated cheese and salt and mix well. Stir in spinach. Beat egg whites stiff, fold into first mixture. Turn into greased mold. Set mold in a pan containing hot water to a depth of one inch. Bake in a moderate electric oven, 350 degrees until firm. To test for doneness, insert a clean knife in the centres of a mold. If it comes out clean, the custard is baked.

Take A Tip:

1. Use the heavy frying pan to bake top-stove scones.
2. If you can spare a little fruit juice—pour over spare ribs, cover and bake in a moderate oven for 1-1 1/2 hours.

3. Make a thin creamed sauce for scalloped potatoes.

4. Make commercial mayonnaise go further by using some condensed tomato soup or a relish or cream cheese with it.

The Question Box

Mr. W. A. asks: How do you store maple syrup? Ours has a mould on already.

Answer: Sterilize small jars with rubber rings, thoroughly. Heat some syrup in a large kettle, stirring frequently. Pour into the jars just before it comes to a boil. Seal tightly and store in cool, dark place. (We recommend heating about a quart at one time to prevent "sugaring-off.")

Mrs. S. G. says: I plan to steam a couple of puddings when I boil up soup bones. The batter is put into two greased baking powder tins, covered with wax paper and tied on securely. Then placed in the stock mixture.

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Final Instalment

If anything had happened to her, it would be his fault. He had asked her to come on this trip. If it had not been for his insistence on going to the cave at once, in the storm, she would never have been tempted to follow them.

His keenness to collect a few ancient bones, to add a few chapters to a mere theory, had perhaps cost a girl her life.

Rupert found himself blaspheming. Curse science! Curse these theories. Curse everything connected with so-called research that bemused a man's brain and blinded him to realities until perhaps it was too late.

What did fame and knowledge matter if the price were to be the loss of the most precious being in the world?

He skirted a boulder and regained the path, where it recommenced. He stopped to peer, holding the torch high. Ah, yes! Here was the place which in an idle moment he had reconnoitred some months ago. The path went up steeply, so that one had to use both hands and feet to climb, and then turned sharply to the left, along the shoulder of the hill.

He could not remember where it went after that, but that did not matter.

Surely, if she had got so high as this, she would realize in time that she had lost them, and retrace her footsteps! Otherwise she might wander off the path altogether and be hopelessly lost.

The hostel was in a dip of the ground, hidden by trees, and the Drakensberg was vast and sparsely inhabited. There were certainly no whites within fifty miles, apart from the hostel. There might be a few native kraals, but that was all. Florence might wander very far indeed before she encountered someone to guide her back.

Rupert scrambled on. Every now and then he stopped to wave the torch and shout. Occasionally a reply came back, and he strained his ears, his heart was pounding. But it was only Frank and Dorothy. They had not found her, or they would shout the message.

The path turned upwards again, and the shouts of his companions grew fainter. He was leaving them far below—and still there was no sign of Florence.

Rupert turns Cave-Man.
Hark! What was that? He had shouted again, almost mechanically, and he had been answered by a faint cry—and it came, not from below, but from above!

He shouted as loudly as he could. "Florence!"

The cry came again, stronger this time.

He started to run, carelessly of the rocks that barked his shins.

She was seated on a boulder beside the path, and in the light of the torch her face was very pale.

He was down on his knees beside her in an instant.

"It's my ankle," she said. "I twisted it."

"Thank heavens!" said Rupert fervently.

A strange remark—but he had been thinking of snakes and their deadly bite.

"I'm sorry," said Florence faintly. "I'm afraid I've given you a lot of trouble. I oughtn't to have followed you."

"Trouble!" he stared at her. "You give me trouble!"

He laughed rather wildly while she stared at him; and then suddenly he was pouring out incoherent words.

Rupert Featherstone had ceased to be a scientific machine.

Presently, disregarding her protests that she could manage to hobble if he gave her his arm, he picked her up bodily and strode back down the path.

Florence laughed.

"What is it?"

"Nothing, darling—but I was just thinking that we must look rather like

a couple of the primitive folk ourselves! The caveman carrying off his woman!"

"Some of their customs," said Rupert appreciatively "were rather sound."

Rupert started. He had almost forgotten the others.

"Frank and Dorothy went along that way," he pointed. "We were to meet here again after half an hour or so, if we had had no luck."

"Then they should be back soon. I think you'd better put me down, and have a rest."

"Not at all a bad idea," agreed Rupert. "For I find that I have a great deal I want to tell you."

Further along the hill, Frank and Dorothy peered into the darkness. Dorothy pointed downwards. Lights were flickering and moving in the valley.

"Father has aroused the hostel. The search party is coming up. I think we'd better turn back and meet Rupert. He may have found her."

They began to retrace their footsteps.

"She must be very much in love with him," said Dorothy. "It was a foolish thing to do—but very brave."

Frank nodded gravely. "Did you see Rupert's face? I rather hope he's the one to find her. I think your engagement to him is now definitely broken off by mutual consent, Dorothy!"

They rounded a huge boulder; and he gripped her arm and drew her back.

"All's well!"

On the other side of the rock were Florence and Rupert. And their attitudes left no doubt that Professor Ellington's party had finally sorted itself out into three couples.

The four of them, Frank and Rupert carrying a protesting Florence between them, descending the mountain-side at a much slower pace than they had ascended it. Presently they encountered the main search party, and Florence briefly recounted her adventures. Christine had insisted on joining in the search as soon as the professor told her what had happened.

"But why in heaven's name did you do it?" demanded Professor Ellington, rather obtusely.

Skulls Aids Romance

His wife-to-be laid a gently restraining hand on his arm. Professor Ellington glanced from Florence to the face of his assistant, and was abruptly silent.

Back in the safe shelter of the hostel, Florence's ankle was examined. It was discovered that she was suffering from no more than a strained tendon, painful, but quick to mend once hot water and bandages had been applied.

The following day broke bright and clear. The sky was once more blue, and there was little trace of the storm of the previous night. Only the swollen streams rushing down the mountainside told their tale.

Rupert and the professor, with a handful of native helpers, ascended the mountain again. They returned to report that the hasty measures taken overnight had proved successful. The cave, and Rupert's discovery, were safe.

A few days later Professor Ellington stood before a long wooden table on which were arranged, carefully ticketed and classified, the uninteresting looking, but highly significant bones and flints which had been dug up in the cave. The professor beamed and rubbed his hands.

"By jove! This ought to make this fellow Jackson sit up!"

He brooded.

"I think I'll send the fellow a cable. Let me see. Ah, how about this?"

"Dawn men discoveries Drakensberg prove conclusively your theories hasty comms ill-considered comma bigoted stop mud in your eye stop Ellington."

"I imagine that should meet the case," he said complacently.

The specimens were carefully pack-

ed. The party turned their backs on the lovely, fantastic peaks of the Drakensberg and returned to Durban. From there Rupert and Florence went to Johannesburg, for Florence was determined to appear with Mr. Knox Oliver's company, as she had promised. When the show was over she had promised Rupert that she would quit the stage.

"Looking after you," she declared, "will be quite enough work for one person."

The professor and Christine, and Frank and Dorothy, were travelling back to England together.

Their arrival in Capetown was marked by three happy omens: a long message of congratulations from Frank's chief on his success in the Grand Prix, tributes for Professor Ellington and his assistant from nearly every scientific institution in the world, and the first newspapers by air from the Rand containing glowing accounts of Knox Oliver's show, with particular mention of that talented young artiste, Beryl Dall, better known to her friends as Florence Shaw.

Frank and Dorothy had decided to wait until their return to England for their marriage.

Three weeks later they stood on the deck of a liner and gazed down on the busy scenes at Southhampton.

Dorothy, as she stood by the rail, with her hand in his, and that same feeling, as on the last occasion that she had looked down on this same scene, of a great adventure ahead.

But in this future she knew, as she glanced happily up at him, that there would be no misunderstandings.

The voyage had ended; but it had also begun.

The End

Specific retail ceiling prices for spring lamb went into effect throughout Canada on May 1.

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services were protected in regard to their civil obligations. On behalf of the Government, Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, has replied that the principal feature of the "Sparkman Act" was its provision of moratoria on insurance premiums, but, after a complete study had been made, the best information available has shown that the lapse of policies of men in Canada's armed forces have been less proportionally for the men in the services than they have been for the civilian population. Indeed, there had been very little request for such legislation. Moreover, policies in the United States were different from those in Canada in certain respects. All in all, there was doubt if the principles of the "Sparkman Act" of the United States would operate well in Canada and there was also the problem of jurisdiction as between the Federal and Provincial authorities.

Strong Competitive Position

It is held in Ottawa that this country will have a merchant marine service as well as a shipbuilding industry after this war that will be in a strong competitive position. This has been the view expressed by the Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions & Supply, who added among other things that "an aggressive policy of salesmanship will keep our yards busy."

More Costs Than Anticipated

When the figures for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1944 was brought down, the estimates were put at \$647,914,428, including supplementary estimates previously entered for 1943-1944. However, now more supplementary estimates of \$2,754,162 have been brought down and these have involved costs which were not anticipated when the 1943-1944 budget was considered, with the total for the fiscal year this time having reached \$650,668,591.

Great Developments

The acting general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, Dr. Augustin Frigon, has disclosed some interesting information about the great developments in radio. He has stated among other things that television networks on this continent may be in operation as soon as two years after this war, that the efforts of Canadian radio engineers have enabled 96 per cent of those who have radio receiving sets in Canada to be reached whereas in 1936 only 46 per cent were reached, that in regard to radio stations affiliated with the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation 50 per cent of all revenue from commercial broadcasts went directly to the

station, that of the 89 stations in Canada only 10 were government-owned, and that great strides in radio may be forthcoming in other directions.

Forethought in Planning

The Federal Government has been considering deeply problems of aircraft production which will follow this war. This foresight in planning for peacetime has been disclosed in Ottawa by the report that a cargo plane, "Noreman" has been in production in Canada during the past two years, that a plane most likely to succeed in the next five years, "Douglas D.C.-4", has been manufactured in this country, that Canada was very interested in a trans-Atlantic type of plane and that this country would be in an enviable position in regard to production of jet propulsion engines.

Issue of Orders-in-Council

When once again the leader of the Official Opposition, Gordon Graydon, had raised in Parliament the issue about orders-in-council, the reply was given that this would be considered at a later date. The Opposition leader had claimed that he had believed that it had stretched the imagination to accept a theory that each one of the 42,000 orders-in-council passed from the beginning of World War II were all of the necessary and emergent kind.

Amusing Event

These have been grim days in Parliament lately so that, when a humorous incident has occurred, it had to be most amusing to appeal to the representatives. However, just such an incident has taken place on one occasion. During the temporary absence from the House of Commons of the member for Vancouver-North, E. L. James Sinclair, a subject of concern to this member was raised. His close friend, George Cruickshank, member for Fraser Valley, rose to his feet and caused a roar of laughter throughout the House of Commons when he declared: "As Parliamentary Assistant to the member for Vancouver-North, I would suggest that the matter be left over to a later date."

Airmen Will Be Aided

As far as the air force was concerned, it has been disclosed that a

modern personnel counselling programme was being developed now so that it may be possible to bring about a much more successful transition of the men from this service to civil life whenever they will leave the service. These counsellors would develop such a suitable programme, with this being founded on careful consideration of these men, on testing their individual capacity for the best use of their abilities, on informing them about the facts of employment and post-war conditions in various work, and on what they should do now to prepare for their future plans of careers.



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Additional equipment is severely limited by material shortages; co-operation must take the place of construction if essential calls are to go through promptly.



On Active Service Giving Wings to Words

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL WAR SERVICES

To my fellow Canadians:—

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Canada, in doing her part to help win the war, has been greatly assisted by your voluntary and unselfish devotion to the important duty of saving and turning in the essential war materials. You have backed up the boys overseas and your activities have been a material factor in turning the tide of battle against the enemy. When Canada's stock piles have been dangerously low, you have discovered, saved, and salvaged waste material which has been turned into weapons, ammunition, explosives and containers. Your Salvage Campaigns have been Nation-Wide and of National importance. Your job has been a big one which you have nobly performed.

When at war the past is the past and we must look to the future. Again I appeal to you!

There is another National war emergency which must be met and overcome. Experts on the matter have assured me that there is a critical shortage of Waste Paper and that the situation is desperate. War supplies must reach our Fighting Forces who will use them against the enemy. War supplies must be safely packed. As we march on nearer to the enemy more supplies are required by our Fighting Men. More—much more Waste Paper is wanted now.

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WELLMAN'S W.A.

On Tuesday evening, May 2nd, the members of the Wellman's W. A. met at the home of Mrs. Victor Graham. Mrs. (Rev.) T. F. Townsend presided and Miss Dorothy Hinds acted as pianist. After a prelude of quiet music,

the members sang, with bowed heads the prayer hymn, "I Need Thee Every Hour". The leader quoted the poem, "A Mother Smiled", and all joined in the Theme song. Mrs. Percy Jackman brought an impressive Meditation.

The minutes of the Easter meeting were read by Miss E. Rainie and approved.

This was followed by a very interesting discussion and plans were made for the 75th Anniversary, on June 18 and 20th.

Committees were appointed in charge of the supper for Tuesday, June the 20th.

Two delegates were appointed to attend the W. A. convention to be held at Belleville. A solo, "Cheer Up", was given by Miss Betty Hullin. The offerings were then received by Ruth Clancy. A reading was given by Miss Eleanor Graham, entitled "Anticipation," and a duet, "Day of Youth," was sung by Miss Jean Barlow and Miss Dorothy Hinds. All joined in singing, "How Sweet the Name," solo, "There's a rainbow on a cloud for you," was sung by Mrs. Clifford Clancy. Mrs. Fred Thrasher led in a closing prayer.

A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Graham for her kind hospitality of the evening.

The June meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Dunham.

NEWS-ARGUS ADS. PAY

Entered Into Rest

MRS. ROBERT WELDON

Death came suddenly to Mrs. Robert Weldon at his residence, Leslie-street, Orillia, on Tuesday, April 4th. She was before her marriage, Annie Alberta White and was born in Rawdon Township on December 2, 1880, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William S. White. In 1902 she married Robert Weldon. In 1912 they went to Orillia, and have resided there since.

She was a member of the United Church W. A. and W.M.S.

Surviving her are her husband, Mr. Robert Weldon, two sisters, Mr. D. W. Terrill, of Lindsay and Mrs. Earl Kent of Kirkland Lake.

Mrs. John Hagerman, who preceded her eight years ago and one brother, Everett White, of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

The funeral service held on Thursday, April 6th, was conducted by the Rev. W. B. Bridgen.

Interment was made in the Friends' Cemetery, Mariposa, Ont., with the Rev. Mr. Vanderburgh, officiating.

The many beautiful floral tributes showed the high esteem in which she was held by her friends.

The pallbearers were Fred Conley, William McEachern, A. H. Tudhope, George Newcomb, James Cable, and Lee Tupling.

SYLVANUS SINE

Sylvanus Sine died Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Broadworth, 7th concession of Rawdon Township.

The late Mr. Sine was born seventy-six years ago in Rawdon Township, and all his life was passed there. During his active years he was engaged in farming and was well esteemed in the community. In religion he was a member of Salem United Church.

His wife died nine years ago and a son, Percy, died twelve years ago. Surviving him is his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Broadworth, with whom he made his home.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon to Salem United Church at 2.30 o'clock.

MRS. SANFORD E. HUBBLE

On Monday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. Sanford E. Hubble took place from her late residence in the 3rd concession of Sidney Township. The service in the home and at Mount Pleasant cemetery in Rawdon Township was conducted by the Rev. J. M. Spence, of Bayside United Church.

The bearers were Messrs. Harry Roblin, George Sutherland, Roy Thrasher, Douglas Holton, Harold Garrison and James Ray.

RAWDON COUNCIL

Rawdon Township Council met in the town hall on Monday afternoon with all members present, Reeve W. J. Tanner presiding.

Correspondence with respect to municipal bridges constructed under the Highways Improvement Act was received and filed.

Reeve W. J. Tanner was appointed delegate to attend meeting in Toronto, being held for the purpose of discussing procedure for co-ordinating and guiding the Provincial programme of planning and development. Expenses to be paid. The Deputy Reeve was named as alternate delegate.

The following motions were adopted—That Superintendents Road Voucher, No. 4 for \$236.13 be paid; That Hydro Electric bill of \$4.05 for Town Hall be paid; That Insurance on Hall be increased \$500.00 making same \$2200.00. Contents \$100.00 and shed, \$200.00.

The Council adjourned to meet Monday, May 29th, at 10 a.m. for the purpose of attending Court of Revision. W. J. Tanner, Reeve W. J. Barlow, Clerk.

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A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Information comes to my desk designed to keep Canadian people informed on doings on both the war and home fronts and it was with a great deal of interest that I got my hands on some absorbing data in connection with Canadian agriculture.

Statistics are sometimes dry material so I'm sort of chewing the stuff up for easy reading digest. You may be astonished at some of the figures, as I was.

One compelling item caught my attention, and that was that in 1871 eight out of ten people lived on farms in small communities in farming districts, but today that figure is only five out of ten. Six decades ago over half the people of this Canada of ours were needed to help produce the stuff which feeds us, while today it only takes one-quarter of the population to do it. Mechanization, higher yielding varieties of seed, better producing cows, hens that lay more eggs per year have something to do with that, of course.

But don't get the idea that the farmer's importance has waned, because War brings him into the limelight more than ever. Our armed forces couldn't move forward toward Berlin and victory without food supplies, and rationing has further awakened us to the importance of the man piloting the plow, and starving millions throughout this beleaguered world call to him for assistance.

Yet, taking the economic aspect what's happening? In 1925, for example, our agricultural production was 41 per cent of the net value of all production in Canada; in 1939 it had dropped to 26 per cent, but in its relationship to the rest maybe has gone further down due to the expansion of factory production in war material. Just after the First Great War, in 1919, our agriculture contributed nearly 29 per cent of the national income. In 1942, after three years of war, only 18 per cent of the income originated from agriculture, but, of course, by far more than 1919 in dollars and cents. But don't get a gloomy picture, because we'll shoot brighter figures at you. At Confederation time, 1867, we had only a little over a million milk cows on farms, but at 1941 and this number reached over 4,000,000. We have to-day 9,500,000 hogs on farms, about seven times as many as in 1881.

Farming has changed in Canada. No doubt about that. The size of farms is increasing, in all provinces except Quebec. With the opening up of land for settlers the fairly standard unit was 160 acres in the west, 100 in the east, on the average. Today the average size of farms in Alberta and Saskatchewan is 433 acres. For Canada as a whole the average farm size went from 198 acres in 1921 to 238 acres in 1941. It is easily understood for the west anyway, where extensive wheat acreage has become the accepted thing and then taking into consideration that production of livestock is becoming increasingly popular.

There are undoubtedly more large farms, fewer smaller ones today and figures prove that. In 1901, only 13 per cent of Canadian farms were of 200 or more acres, but in 1941 almost 32 per cent of the total of 732,715 farms were that big. In 1901 there were almost 140,000 farms under 50 acres but twenty years later their number had declined to 110,000.

There is one thing notable about farming in Canada and that is the increase—a definite one—in those who are turning to other lines to augment the once usual revenue from growing of grains. Twenty years ago the Canadian farmer depended more on the sales of grains, seed and hay for his cash income than he does now. Records of cash income for 1920, however, shows this: for every \$100 cash he acquired from sale of farm products, \$52 emanated from sale of grains, seed and hay; \$21 from livestock and only \$12 from sale of dairy products. As contrast we jump to figures for 1942 which tell us that for every hundred dollars only \$21.50 from sale of grains, seeds and hay, while \$38 was derived from livestock

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Stirling Village Subscribes 199 Per Cent. of Victory Loan Objective

District Goes Over The Top With 130%—Second Only To Armed Forces In County

The final figures of the Sixth Victory Loan in Hastings County were released on Tuesday, showing the Village of Stirling leading all municipalities with the total sales amounting to \$109,300, or 199% of its \$55,000 objective.

In the Stirling, Rawdon and Huntingdon District, a total of \$207,450 was subscribed or 130% of the quota of \$160,000. This is a very commendable showing and we have been asked by Mr. Harry Francis, chairman of the district committee, to express sincere thanks to the canvassers for their untiring efforts and to the subscribers for their generous response to the appeal for funds to prosecute Canada's war effort.

Following is a breakdown of the results in the county:

	Per Cent. of Obj.
Belleville	106
Trenton	107
Sidney, Thurlow and Frankford	72
Deseronto and District	72
Stirling, Rawdon, Etc.	130
Tweed, Hungerford	72
Madoc, Marmora	60
Bancroft	66
Deloro	106
Armed Forces	149
Special Names	96

H. Rollins Heads Salesmen

The final report on the salesmen in the local district, which was issued on Tuesday, shows Harper Rollins, of Stirling, leading the list with 101 sales for \$26,150. Jas. Legrow was second with \$23,500 on 100 applications; O. Wagar, on 130 applications had \$16,200; J. B. Beshaw on 74 applications, \$15,300, and G. E. Thompson, \$11,000 on 50 applications. The Bank had \$115,300 on 65 applications.

Arrives Overseas

Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Long on Tuesday that their son, William Long had arrived safely overseas.

Honoured By Friends

Red's Pavilion, Glen Ross, was the scene of a happy gathering on Tuesday evening when a number of friends did honour to Douglas Patterson and Bert Bastedo, who have joined the Royal Canadian Navy. During the evening which was spent in dancing, they were presented with Signet rings and Identification Bracelets, each bearing the naval insignia.

MILK REPORT

A report from the Department of Health on samples received of A. R. Wannamaker's milk supply is as follows:—B. Coll Count per c. c., Too numerous to mention; Standard plate count, 1,000,000+; Per Cent Butter Fat; Result of Phosphatase Test, "A"

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vandervoort and Mrs. Geo. Megginson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandervoort and Roseann, on Mother's Day. It was also Mrs. Arthur Vandervoort's 60th birthday and she was presented with a lovely occasional rocker by her family. She also received gifts and greetings from her son, George in Alberta, her brother and sister in Lockport, N. Y., and other friends also a phone call from her son, Ralph in Toronto.

Graduates From O. A. College

Elmer E. McInroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Murray McInroy, of Bonarlaw, received his Bachelor of Science degree at the Ontario Agricultural College Convocation held at Guelph, on Tuesday. He is a graduate of Stirling High School and his many friends throughout this district join in extending congratulations.

J. W. Ketcheson, of Foxboro, was also a graduate.

Salvage Day May 24th

When "D" Day comes and the landing barges grate on the shores of what Hitler fondly hoped would be "His Europe", backing up the Allied Nations' forces will be wastepaper. The cardboard cartons you have in your basement; those old piles of magazines; the old ledgers and business records that are collecting dust in your files, can all play an important part. The empty cigarette box you throw in the fireplace can be transferred into the container for ammunition which may open up a vital hole in the enemy line.

When "D" Day comes and our paratroops land on enemy soil, we've got to feed 'em, keep 'em supplied with food, ammunition, maybe even drinking water. Most of the stuff will be dropped in paper containers, with paper parachutes.

The shortage is serious, for paper has gone to war now. Remember Wednesday next, May 24th, is Salvage Day in Stirling. Be sure and have your waste paper ready for collection.

HAVE COPY IN EARLY

As Victoria Day is being observed as a holiday in Stirling, we request correspondents and advertisers to have their copy at our office as early next week as possible.

Memorial Service For Late Member

Mrs. Harry Francis was hostess to the members of St. Paul's W.M.S. and Girl's Mission Circle on Thursday evening of last week. Mrs. P. V. Hellwell presided over the devotional period and Miss D. Caldwell then conducted a brief but very impressive memorial service for the late Mrs. J. J. Wilson, a very ardent and devoted worker in the missionary cause. The secretaries told of the previous months' activities and the Treasurer gave a very encouraging report for the first quarter. Mrs. C. Macklin congratulated the Mission Band on receiving the achievement award.

The pres. in a few well chosen words, welcomed the girls of the Mission Circle, who at this time, took over the meeting to present an excellent programme, with Miss Betty Finkle, the president in charge. Following an opening hymn, Marcella Staley read the Scripture Lesson and Helen Hick led in prayer. In keeping with Mother's Day, Shirley Francis gave a reading, "On Mothers."

The guest speaker for the evening was Miss Ruth Whale, and was introduced by Mrs. D. Grey. Her address was of a Missionary nature and based on the text, "I have come that ye might have life and have it more abundantly."

Miss Whale told of how two missionaries the Rev. and Mrs. G. Bridgeman whom she knew personally had striven not only to preach this text but to actually bring it to fulfillment. The Bridgeman's field was in West China, and they laboured there for 30 years, showing the Chinese improved methods in agriculture, sanitation, and child welfare as well as providing them with spiritual food. Their work was not without danger, for at one time they were captured and held for 17 days.

Miss Margaret Gray in her usual fine manner gave a vocal solo. "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and Doris Pollock presented two readings by Edgar Guest on Mother's Day thoughts. The last number by the Mission Circle was a piano solo by Mrs. Harold West.

A very effective closing for the meeting was the spiritual "Steal away to Jesus", sung very softly and sweetly by Mrs. Townsend.

The ladies of the W.M.S. then served lunch to all present and the thanks to the hostess and Circle girls for their contributions to such a fine meeting was expressed by Mrs. J. L. Good.

St. Paul's Y.P.A. Hold Weiner Roast

On Monday night St. Paul's Y.P.A. held its annual outing in the form of a Weiner roast at Oak Lake. Cars left the church early in the evening and upon arrival at the lake the boys busied themselves gathering wood for the fire. After the logs were burning brightly all gathered in a circle around the fire and hearty community singing and rousing games were conducted very ably by Mr. Gray. "Joey", the Crab found in the vicinity, gave Marjorie Wait and Doris Pollock, a hectic time, but Gerald Scott took charge of the situation and skillfully disposed of the little intruder. Then came the big event of the evening, weiner and soft drinks made their appearance on the scene and everyone enjoyed the feast immensely. All too soon the time came for the party to break-up. Then all who possibly could crowded on Don Tucker's truck, and thrilled to a breath-taking ride down the hills of the surrounding countryside. Everyone felt it was a fine climax to a successful Y.P.U. year and hoped that next fall all would be back again to enjoy the fellowship the meetings have afforded.

Unveiling Of Honour Roll Features St. Andrew's Mother's Day Service

Names of 25 Former Members of Sunday School On Roll—Large Congregation

The unveiling of a Roll of Honour bearing the names of 25 former members of the Sunday School was the highlight of the Mother's Day service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, on Sunday morning. This impressive ceremony concluded a programme presented by the Sunday School, and was performed by Jack Hermiston, who set aside the flag that covered the roll and read the names of the following:—

Major Thomas Ward, L.A.C. Don Ward, Major E. W. Matthews, Capt. A. Melkolejohn, A. B. Walter Rodgers, W.O. 2 R. G. Scott, Pte. Ernest Cain, Pte. Jack Tulloch, Cameron Foster, Sig. G. McLeaming, Cpl. Gerald Ward, Capt. D. P. Ross, Sgt. Maj. H. McLeaming, Cpl. Roy McGee, St. Frank Rodgers, L.A.C. Lorne Anderson, Pte. John Fargy, Pte. M. McGee, Pte. T. Foster, Leslie Chambers, Roy Ruby, Jack Walker, Wren D. Hulin, James Ward, Lieut. Bell.

The following took part in the programme—Bible reading, Ross Hermiston; prayer, Eleanor Fox; Mother's Day welcome, Carolyn Rollins; reading (in three parts) "I Like Miss Best", Bobby Eggleton, Ralph Ray and Jimmy Gay; duet, "There's No One Like a Mother", Arlene Tummon and Marilyn Eggleton; reading, "Gifts For Mother" (in 3 parts), Isabel Fox, Margaret McIntosh, Muriel Devolin; chorus, "Our Gifts We Bring", with Lois McGee taking the solo part; reading, "Mother's Letters", Doreen Fox; duet, "My Best Friend Is Mother", Jean McIntosh and Mary Agnes Fox; reading, "Memory's pictures", Sybil McLeaming; Girls' chorus, "Forsake Not The Law"; reading, "Mother's Societies", Ray Hermiston; duet, "The Light of Home", Arlene Tummon and Marilyn Eggleton; address by Rev. W.H.V. Walker.

MOTHER'S DAY AT ST. PAUL'S

There was a large congregation at St. Paul's United Church on Sunday morning when the annual Mother's Day service was held.

The choir under the direction of Mr.

Ministerial Association Met At Springbrook

A well attended meeting of the Centre Hastings Ministerial Association, was held at the United Church Parsonage, Springbrook, on Monday afternoon. Rev. F. C. Beaser, of Roslin, presided over the meeting and a well prepared paper on the influence of humanism on modern thinking was presented by Rev. A. Poulter, of Madoc. Upon invitation of Rev. Mr. Ball, the association decided to hold its next meeting at the Free Methodist Church, Marmora, in September.

At the close of the meeting, tasty refreshments were served and a vote of thanks was tendered to the host and hostess, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Holdon. Those present included Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Beaser, Roslin; Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Townsend, Stirling; Rev. C. C. Brazil, Stirling, Mr. Kenneth Stewart, West Huntingdon; Rev. W. G. Robinson, Tweed; Rev. and Mrs. A. Poulter, Madoc; Rev. E. Larson, Madoc; Rev. Mr. Ball, Marmora; Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Cadigan, Marmora; Rev. Oscar Wagar; Ivanhoe; Rev. Wm. Patterson, Queensboro.

Party On Tenth Birthday

Twelve girl friends were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good in honour of their daughter Roberta's tenth birthday on Saturday afternoon from 5 to 8. Dinner was served, with the table being centred by a birthday cake bearing ten candles, following which progressive games were enjoyed. Later all attended the showing of "Wintertime" at the local theatre. The guests included Marilyn Eggleton, Helen Stinson, Marybelle West, Isabel Fox, Isabel Brazil, Judy Johnstone, Joan Cranston, Beverly Prince, Grace Carleton, Agnes Chambers, Eva Ann Bastedo and Aileen O'Neill.

THIRD SON IN FORCES

Three sons of Mrs. Chas. Conley, of Picton, formerly of Stirling, are now in the armed forces. Arthur Conley having recently joined the Tank Corps. The other members of the family in the forces are Sgt. Fred Conley, of the H. & P. E. Regt., and P. O. Roy Conley, of the R.C.A.F.

G. L. Clute, rendered a special Mother's Day anthem, entitled "A Tribute to Mother", Miss Hildegarde Hellwell took the solo part.

The Rev. David Gray spoke on "Mother—A Symbol of God."

A special Mother's Day Service was held in St. Paul's Sunday School at 10 a.m. There was a large attendance of scholars and parents.

Mr. Good, the superintendent conducted the service and Miss Margaret Gray, presided at the piano. Several of the scholars took part in the service. A trio entitled, "What a Friend we have in Mother", was sung by Eleanor Wells, Helen Stinson and Shirley Scott. Appropriate recitations were given by June Irish and Joan Green. The speaker was Mrs. Albert Wells, who gave an address on "A Christian Home in a New China" This circled around the home life of the "Soong Family" of whom Madame Chiang Kai-Shek was a member. It was a beautiful story beautifully told.

Proclamation

Pursuant to a resolution passed by the Municipal Council, I do hereby proclaim

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24th, 1944

A PUBLIC HOLIDAY

in the Village of Stirling.

Wm. C. WEST, Reeve.

Court Of Revision Hears Appeals

Several Appeals Heard At Meeting Monday Night—Adjourned Until May 29th

Members of Stirling council met on Monday night at a Court of Revision to consider appeals against the 1944 Assessment Roll. Each member took the Declaration of Office and Reeve Wm. C. West acted as chairman of the meeting. Councillors Elliott, Wells Thompson and Bailey were in attendance.

Appeals were entered against assessments by Messrs. F. Stapley, Fred McKee, J. E. Salisbury, Carl Sloggett and John Molloy, while appeals for changes in designation of lots were made by Miss Della Potter, J. V. Holt, Wm. Chambers and J. C. McGee. The first appeal to be discussed was that of Fred McKee, who asked to have the assessment on his apartment lowered \$200. The present assessment is \$500. Final decision was deferred until the adjourned meeting of the court.

J. E. Sallisbury appealed against the assessment on his property on the north side of Front street, claiming it was not in line with the assessment of other properties in the vicinity. The court, after making numerous comparisons of the assessment on other properties, decided his assessment was not equitable and reduced it \$100, making the corrected assessment \$1100.

Frank Stapley appealed against the \$300 increase in the assessment on his mill on Front St. East. The court after making a number of comparisons with other properties, deferred their final decision until the adjourned meeting on May 29th.

John Molloy, claimed he was assessed for one extra lot, and a correction was ordered made on the assessors' roll.

No action was taken on the appeal of Carl Sloggett, against his assessment as he has disposed of his property since entering the appeal.

J. C. McGee asked that a lot at the rear of his store and the store house on the South side of Mill St. be assessed in the name of Elizabeth McGee. The matter was left over until the adjourned meeting.

Corrections in lot designations on the Assessor's Roll were requested by J. V. Holt and Miss Della Potter.

Any appeals against the decision of the Court may be made at the adjourned sitting, notice of which may be found elsewhere in this issue.

92 Years Old

Mrs. Robt. Rodgers will celebrate her 92nd birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Gordonier, on Sunday, May 21st. Her many friends will join in extending congratulations.

Receives B.A.

Lorne Morton Johnston, teacher at Springbrook, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Boulter Johnston, Harold, received his B. A. Degree at the graduation exercises in Convocation Hall, Queen's University, on Saturday. His many friends throughout this district will join in extending congratulations.

INSPECTOR HERE

Inspector Norman Davies, of the Ontario Department of Education, made his annual inspection of the local High School on Tuesday.

Confer Degree

Some forty-six members of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, Stirling, paid a fraternal visit to Quintana Rebekah Lodge, Belleville, on Tuesday night. The local degree team, under the direction of Sis. E. Bailey conferred the Rebekah Degree. At the conclusion of the ceremony a banquet was served and a social hour enjoyed.

TO COMPLETE HIGHWAY

Extension of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from Hamilton to Windsor is a feature of the plans now under consideration by the Ontario Government as part of its postwar program, Minister of Highways and Public Works, George H. Doucett announced yesterday.

Musical Recital Presented

Pupils of Mrs. T. F. Townsend Give Programme Before Appreciative Audience

Pupils of Mrs. T. F. Townsend, of Stirling, took part in a recital before an interested and appreciative audience of parents and friends at the Rawdon parsonage on Friday evening last. Following the program the "Music Man" was introduced and a contest enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Following is the programme.

Part I
God Save The King.
Piano Duet—"Rose Petals", Ruth Welbourn and Mrs. Townsend.
Vocal Solo—"Now the Day is Over", Ronald Strickland with Roy Strickland at piano.
Piano Solo—(a) Gaily We March" (b) Hymn Tune, Carolyn Rollins.
Piano Solo—(a) "Blue Eyes" (b) "Song of the Sea Shell"—Ruth Welbourn.

Piano Solo—Study "Allegretto" by Cserny, Roy Welbourn.
Song—"Our Country", Carolyn Rollins and Ronald Strickland.
Reading—"My Metronome", Ruth Welbourn.
Vocal Solo—(a) "The Robins Song" from Mozart; (b) "Cradle Song",—Carolyn Rollins.

Part II
Piano Solo—"Serenade" by Chubert—Grant Hellwell.
Song—"Maytime", Misses Vivian and Ruth Welbourn.
Vocal—"Mountain Climbers, Ronald Strickland.

Piano Solo—(a) "The Hunting Song", Mendelssohn; (b) Study by Cserny Opus 740 No. 12, Phyllis Vance.
Vocal Solo—"I wonder" by Ashford; "Keep on Hopin'" by H. Keron Maxwell, Mrs. Townsend.
"The Life of Chopin" read by Vivian Welbourn.
Piano Solo—"Polonaise in C Sharp Minor", by Chopin—Phyllis Vance.
Vocal Duet—"A.B.C." by Parry, "Taps."

O Canada, our homeland strong and free,
Fair are thy lands that stretch from sea to sea.

Thy mighty mountains soar dear land
Close to the smiling skies—Thy children ring with one accord.

O Canada, arise, O Canada, O Canada!
Fair are thy lands that spread from sea to sea

And with our lives we'll guard thy liberty.
The man who hath no music in his soul is fit for treason, stratagems and spoils.—Shakespeare.

Leg Amputated

Stirling and district friends will be sorry to learn that Mr. R. G. Lawlor, of Norwood, a former principal of the local High School, has suffered the amputation of his left leg at the knee on account of a serious condition of the foot. Mr. Lawlor is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough.

- Coming Events -

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD Effects, at the residence of Mrs. Charlie Mitchell, Mill Street, Stirling, on Saturday, May 27th, at 2 o'clock. Geo. Arnott, Auctioneer. 35-2tp.

OPENING DANCE—TWEED PAVILION—Wednesday, May 24th. Melody Makers' Orchestra. Jitney dancing at this popular pavilion every Wednesday night during the summer months. 33-1t

SPRINGBROOK LODGE, No. 429, I.O.O.F., will attend divine service in St. Mark's Church, Bonarlaw, on Sunday, May 21st, at 3 p.m. Rev. A. B. Caldwell will preach. The brethren will meet at the church at 2:45 p.m. Visiting brethren and Rebekahs welcome. H. Martin, N.G.; Clayton Burkitt, Sec'y. 33-1t

DANCING EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT in the Recreation Hall, Batavia, to the music of the Aces all-piece orchestra. Dancing from 9 to midnight, good door prize. Admission 35c per person. 33-1t

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REMEMBER SALVAGE DAY

Wednesday, May 24th, is salvage Day in Stirling, when members of the I.O.D.E. will make a house to house canvass for waste paper. Citizens are urged to have their waste paper in bundles and placed at the front of their property for collection.

Paper mills are operating on a hand to mouth basis and they need at least 20,000 tons of waste paper for each and every month. It is our duty to see that every available bit of paper or cardboard is salvaged. In launching a nation-wide paper salvage drive, Maj. General L. R. LaFleche, Minister of National War Services, declares shortage of waste paper may jeopardize Canada's whole war effort. This is a serious situation and one that should have the earnest attention of each and every citizen.

Remember Wednesday next, May 24th is Salvage Day in Stirling and have yours ready for collection.

— V —

TIME FOR A CHANGE

It's about time there was some radical changes made in the assessment law. The usual complaints were heard at the sitting of the Court of Revision, Monday night of the unfairness of the present system, which favours the business man operating in a cheap building, or the owner who doesn't keep his property in a good state of repair.

In the case of business tax, it appears to this column that a levy on the volume of business done, rather than on the assessment of the building in which the business is conducted would be a fairer system. As regards the assessment of real estate the man who employs the painter and the carpenter to make his place more attractive, and who thus improves the appearance of the whole neighborhood is penalized by increased taxation, while the man who allows his property to become an eyesore, and thus decreases the value of his neighbour's property, is encouraged in his neglect by reduced taxation. It is hoped that some day the people will wake up and demand a radical change in the assessment law.

— V —

A REMINDER

Saturday night saw the largest crowd of the present season in the village and it was noticeable that there were a few motorists who violated the village's parking bylaw. This much can be said on their behalf, however, that parking space was at a premium and an open driveway or an open space near a hydrant offered a temptation to a motorist to park.

If a fire were to occur the firemen would be seriously handicapped with a car parked in front of a hydrant, and so with the merchant or citizen who wants to use his driveway and finds it blocked by a parked car and the owner no where to be found. We are mentioning these points, not in the way of criticism, but simply to remind our readers that in doing these things they are acting contrary to the bylaws of the village. While the chief constable might easily lay information against violators of these laws and summon them to court, such action should only be as a last resort. We feel certain that there are very few but who will abide by the regulations once they are drawn to their attention.

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PRIDE IN OUR SAILORS

The tragedy of the sinking of H.M.C.S. Athabaskan with its tragic loss of life, men suffering from exposure, brings to our minds once again, if it should be necessary, the hazards, patriotically undergone, by those who go down to the sea in ships.

Gallant boys from this Province and from other Provinces were aboard that ship. Some had been on her since she entered service two years ago and due to the exigencies of service had not been home in that period.

All the men aboard her, including some Ontario lads who were formerly in the Navy League's Sea Cadet Corp., performed their duties in battle with the utmost skill and gallantry, like seasoned veterans.

It makes us all feel how much we owe these brave fellows. It comforts us to know that many of the men aboard had been 'serviced' by the Navy League with our gifts of woollens and that those woollens helped ward off the extreme effects of the exposure they suffered in the water when the ship went down.

That the woollens DO help ward off exposure effects has been testified to by thousands of letters in the hands of Comfort headquarters from sailors who underwent exposure before this.

Our pride in these men of the Athabaskan

and all sailors who serve us and the United Nations might well be expressed in further gifts of woollens for they can never have enough. Contact any Branch of the Navy League for advice in this particular.

On Saturday, May 20th, a tag day is being held in Stirling in the interests of the Navy League, and citizens are urged to give generously.

— V —

THE BICYCLE DANGER

The returning popularity of the bicycle as a result of the gas and tire rationing has served to add in a very large measure to the traffic problem. On village streets and rural highways, young people—and some not so young—on bicycles are giving motorists the cold shivers in practically every hour of the twenty-four.

A cyclist riding alone and well over to the right is not so much of a problem, in daylight. At night, however, the unlighted bicycle is a real menace—not only to the rider but to traffic generally. It seems to us that the authorities everywhere should be striving to see that unlighted bicycles are kept off the roads.

Another danger phase is that presented when two or more bicyclists persist in riding abreast. On a highly-travelled route, not long ago, we saw four young men moving along in this fashion; taking up most of the roadway and apparently quite oblivious to the warning horns of passing motorists. At one period they forced a woman car driver to putter along for some time, refusing to separate sufficiently for her to get by. Finally another car approached with a determined man at the wheel and he finally convinced the bicycle riders that it would be a good thing to move over and let him pass.

Why bicyclists should take a sort of defiant attitude on the road is past reasoning. For their own safety, if for no other reason, they should be made to ride in single file and at the right edge of the highway. If this rule were carefully adhered to there would be fewer accidents and the nerves of motorists would not be so much upset.

— V —

SAVE WILD FLOWERS

The Spring flowers are blooming in profusion at present and our readers are reminded to pick wild flowers with moderation. The trillium, which has been chosen as Ontario's flower, is rapidly disappearing through the wanton manner in which it has been picked. All flower lovers are urged to refrain from the ruthless destruction of our wild flowers. Many of the most beautiful of them have already disappeared over wide areas and many more will follow unless conservation is practised.

— V —

DANGEROUS GOSSIP

Are you an "I heard" person? If so, stop it. These people do an immense amount of harm with their wagging tongues. "I heard that Mr. Blank was having a hard time meeting his payments," or "I heard that Mr. Blank was going to be let out by his firm," are some of the earmarks of this particular form of conversation. An immense amount of harm is done by these "I heard" babblers. The worst feature is that a contradiction never seems to travel half as fast as the original defamatory statement.

— V —

Wednesday next, May 24th, will be observed as a holiday by the merchants of Stirling. Citizens are urged to keep this in mind and do their shopping on Tuesday.

— V —

Many pastures and meadows in the district were killed out during the past winter and according to some milk producers will have an effect on the milk production in the coming months.

— V —

Now is the time for citizens to make their plans for a campaign of painting and cleaning around their homes, in an attempt to add to the attractiveness not only to their immediate surroundings, but to the village as a whole. A few flower beds or a few shrubs about the grounds add greatly to the appearance of your property. If every citizen takes the trouble to do a little something for the beautification of his surroundings, how much better will the village look on the whole?

— V —

Hastings County again went over the top in the Sixth Victory Loan Campaign and a word of praise is due the organizers and canvassers, as well as the subscribers. Stirling, Rawdon and Huntingdon district did its full share, with this village almost doubling its objective. The citizens of this village and district have reason to be proud of themselves. With the Sixth Victory Loan in the background, we must remember that there will probably be a Seventh Victory Loan this coming Fall when we will be asked to raise as much or even more money than in the past.

— V —

Creation of postwar planning bodies by every municipality to work in conjunction with the newly formed Provincial Department of Planning and Development is being sought by the Ontario Government. Many municipalities have already appointed committees and the matter will no doubt be discussed by the local council at some future meeting. The Department of Planning and Development will shortly issue suggestions for local planning and reciprocal suggestions will be welcomed by the Department from the municipalities.

What Others Say

LET'S GO FISHING

There is nothing more perverse unpredictable than fisherman's luck. Sometimes the fellow with a can of worms and a sapling for a rod runs into all the luck and catches a fine string of speckled beauties. It is a great thrill for such a fisherman on such an occasion to meet on his way home a party of fully accoutred and equipped and highly proficient fisherman who have had just no luck at all—not even a bite. That is one of the compensations that sometimes fall to the lot of the rank amateur.

Well, anyway, the season is on again. Let's all go fishing.—Fort William Times-Journal.

PRAYER BEFORE BATTLE

When 'neath the rumble of the guns, I lead my men against the Huns, It's then I feel so all alone, and weak and scared,

And oft I wonder how I dared Accept the task of leading men;

I wonder, worry, fret, and then . . . I pray:

O God, who promised oft To humble men to lend an ear; Now, in my troubled state of mind, Draw near, O God, draw near . . . draw near.

Make me more willing to obey, Help me to merit my command, And, if this be my fatal day, Reach out, O God, Thy helping hand And lead me down that deep, dark vale.

These men of mine must never know How much afraid I really am, Help me to lead them in the fight, So they will say: "He was a man."

MAJOR A. R. CAMPBELL.

Hastings-Prince Edward Regiment (killed in action Dec. 25, 1943).

Appropriate Remarks

In view of the Victory Loan Campaign which has been held in Canada, the acting chief of the Official Opposition in the House of Commons, Gordon Graydon, made a very deep impression by some extremely appropriate remarks about equality of service, sacrifice and contribution. "I often wonder," he said amongst other things, "if those of us who sometimes make these statements fully realize that their terms actually mean to many of the Canadian people. If

everyone of us in Canada were to give, not just loan at interest, every material thing that we as citizens possess, is there anyone in this chamber or anyone in Canada who would rise and say that equalled, the sacrifice, the service and the contribution of the men and women who are prepared to offer their lives upon the altar of sacrifice that we may have freedom, righteousness and liberty in the days that lie ahead."

New evaporated milk coupons replacing the special G coupons are now being issued in restricted areas.

Ice dealers have been permitted to make daily household deliveries between May 1 and September 30.

This is the sign to look for



The familiar Martin-Senour sign is the one to look for when paint-plans are pending. It is the sign that says "the 100% Pure Paint is sold here". Paint of quality—beauty and with staying-power that endures longer! When you want these qualities in paint products—make sure and see the dealer whose sign reads . . . Martin-Senour. His experience and friendly advice backed by the highest quality products will assure you of complete satisfaction in your painting plans!

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Make This Pledge Today!

I promise to give my support to keeping the cost of living down. I will buy only what I need. I will observe the ceiling whether buying or selling goods or services. I will pay off old debts, save for the future, invest in Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates. And I will support taxes which help lower the cost of living.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

FRUIT PROSPECTS FOR 1944 SEASON ARE MUCH BETTER

With very little damage done to trees by the winter weather, prospects for the 1944 fruit crop at the moment look very promising, according to E. F. Palmer, Director of the Horticultural Experimental Farm at Vineland. In an interview, Mr. Palmer stated that the orchards had come through the winter very well and that the budding on the trees was particularly heavy.

With reference to the peach crop prospects, Mr. Palmer said that there was a very heavy budding, to such an extent that some thinning out might be necessary. He pointed out that, as a result of the very unfavourable weather of a year ago, the peach orchards had suffered considerable permanent damage and that about 20% of the trees had been killed in the Niagara Peninsula. Growers were finding great difficulty in securing stocks of young peach trees to replace those killed and it would take at least four or five years to make good the losses suffered last year. With continued favourable weather conditions however, he was confident that the peach crop would be much better than in 1943, when it was only 26% of a normal crop. Other fruits have also wintered well and budding is considered satisfactory.

In the Georgian Bay apple growing area the growers are looking forward to another good year. Last year's crop was exceptionally heavy and there had been some fears that this year there would be considerable decline. The budding of apple trees in this section, however, indicates that another good crop is in sight if the weather remains favourable. G. F. Mitchell, of Clarksburg, one of the larger growers and packers of apples, stated that the budding if far beyond expectations and that if a satisfactory set of fruit results, the crop may be up to last year's standard.

EXTRA FARM HELP GET EXTRA RATIONS

Arrangements have been made by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to provide this year extra rations of food for extra farm help engaged seasonally in all parts of Canada, on

the basis of a limit of five meals per person per day.

Any farm household in Canada, engaging seasonal help for such work as threshing, silo filling, woodcutting, and other work, will be able to make application for extra rations for these crews up to a limit of five meals for each member of the crews, if five meals are being served each day. This rule was in effect in 1943 but only in a comparatively small number of cases was it utilized to the limit. Application forms for the extra rations will bear a statement this year to the effect that rations may be applied for up to five meals a day per person, if required.

Officials of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board believe that this extra allowance will enable farm homes to meet their needs for most rationed foods for the extra gangs. No further concessions can, however, be made for sugar.

DO NOT SKIMP ON FEED FOR POULTRY

Proper killing, plucking and packing of poultry help to hold a bird in the top grades. But no poultry killing plant can boost a Grade C bird to a dressed Milkfed A. The production of quality poultry depends on the farmer.

Yet every year many farmers sacrifice from 35 to 40 cents a bird because they have not got it in a proper shape for market. There is a difference of 7 cents a pound in the ceilings on Grade A Milkfed and on Grade C. Much of this difference can be cut down when farmers give that little additional care necessary to finish a bird properly.

Even more emphatically than in the past, the Dominion Department of Agriculture calls farmers' attention to the advantages of crate feeding or pen fattening before marketing their poultry. If it has not been tried before, it is surprising what improvement can be made in a fowl by penning it in close quarters and piling the feed into it for a fortnight before marketing.

In Eastern Canada those farmers who usually have enough grain of their own to see them through the year are suffering from poor crops in 1943. Obligated to purchase their total feed requirements, some farmers too often have skimped on buying poultry feed. But this is no time to stop buying grain for poultry. The Dominion Department of Agriculture says it will pay farmers to give their poultry the extra grain they need for proper finish, even if this grain has to be brought. Plenty of feed, clean water, and restricted exercise help to lift many a bird from the low-priced Grade C.

NEED FOR FLAXSEED STILL IS URGENT

Canada is still in urgent need of vegetable oils, and, while efforts are being made in the Dominion to increase the production of soybeans, sun-flowers and rape seed as vital sources of oil, it is not possible to grow enough of them, consequently, it is all the more necessary that the acreage of the seed-bearing type of flax should be maintained. It is the most important oil-producing crop now grown extensively in Canada.

It is computed that Canada can find an outlet of from 18 to 20 million bushels of flaxseed during the crop year 1944-45. Canadian flax-crushers are now equipped to handle at least 6,000,000 bushels annually, and the British market is prepared to take large quantities of oil or flax for crushing in their own mills. The higher quality of Canadian flaxseed continues to attract buyers, and the Agricultural Supplies Board states that there is no danger of over-production for a few years at least. Districts which produce starchy or pie-bald wheat can grow flaxseed of highest market quality. Also the highest price paid for flaxseed in many years will be in effect during 1944, namely, \$2.75 per bushel, basis No. 1 C.W. Fort

News of The Surrounding District

HOME FROM OVERSEAS

L/Cpl. E. C. French, of Frankford, was among a group of 28 officers and other ranks who arrived Saturday afternoon from overseas.

L/Cpl. E. C. French, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy French, told of his experiences both in Sicily and Italy with the Armoured Corps, and added that the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps is "tops!" He lost a leg in the Italian Campaign and is in Kingston Military Hospital for further treatment.

Others from this district, arriving were L/Cpl. D. A. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill, of Havelock, who was wounded during the battle of the Moro River in Italy; Pte. G. N. Lovell, Belleville, and Bdr. A. C. McGregor, of Napanee.

W. A. BEATTY IS TWEED BOWLING PREXY

Tweed Bowling Club has been re-organized for the 1944 season with Mr. W. A. Beatty having been elected President, succeeding Mr. C. C. Atton. Other officers are: Vice Pres. Fred Mitchell; Secty., Mrs. Geo. Clark and

William or Port Arthur. In addition there are no quotas restricting the delivery of flaxseed at present.

Success in the production of flax depends upon the use of good seed of suitable varieties, grown on a clean, well-prepared seed-bed, coupled with favourable growing conditions. Full information on these points is given in the revised special pamphlet "No. 1 Flaxseed," which may be obtained from Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Treas., Mrs. M. J. Quinn, Games Committee—C. H. Kerr, Chairman; Membership Committee—C. C. Atton, chairman.

KILLED OVERSEAS

Word has just been received that Sgt. Russell Herbert Davies, 19, R.C.A.F., of Havelock, has been killed in action overseas. Sgt. Davies, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davies, who have recently moved to Toronto. He was born in Havelock and received his education in the public and high schools there. He went overseas in November, 1943.

2 COWS KILLED BY LIGHTNING

James Leonard Hewitt, farmer of Marmora Township had the misfortune to lose two cows by lightning about 2 p.m. on Saturday. Other cows pasturing in the same field while the storm was on were not affected.

SCHOOL FOR DEAF TO BE RETURNED

The former Ontario School for the Deaf, now used by the R.C.A.F. as its No. 5 Initial Training School, will be returned to the Ontario Department of Education by the Federal Government during the latter part of June. It was announced Tuesday by Premier George Drew.

BELLEVILLE COMPANY ROBBED OF \$1,800

Belleville's wave of break-ins and robberies still continues, as E. Hachborn, of National Grocers, informed police that some time during Friday

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"SALADA" TEA

night thieves broke into the company office and stole approximately \$1,800 in cash and cheques.

MODULATION RADIO BUILT BY TWO BELLEVILLE MEN

Two Belleville men, George Fralick and Howard Booth, have gained for themselves the distinction of being the first in Belleville to construct a 12-tube frequency modulation radio set. This set is of a new receiver type which receives broadcasts from frequency modulation transmitter stations, and both men report that the reception is practically free of static and noise.

It is their contention that even during a noisy thunderstorm the reception is clear. Both men worked at a disadvantage as material for the construction of this set was practically unobtainable. Many unobtainable parts were made from raw materials.

ROBERT WRIGHT

The death occurred at his home at Petherick's Corners recently of Robert Wright. He had been under medical treatment for the past five years but his end came very suddenly.

The late Mr. Wright was 74 years of age and was born in Rawdon township, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wright. In his early years he worked in lumber camps and was a river driver in Northern Ontario. He also operated an hotel in Springbrook for a time. Later he farmed in Rawdon and Marmora townships.

Mr. Wright was of a friendly and jovial nature and made many friends. He was thrice married, his first wife being Eliza Neal, of which marriage two children survive, namely William of Marmora and Jack of Detroit. His second wife was Annie Kerr. His third wife who survives him was Kate Southworth before marriage.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon at his late residence, with Rev. J. R. Bleck officiating. Interment took place in Mt. Nebo, cemetery, Springbrook.

Remake Centres operated under Consumer Branch direction are now operated in Kingston and Brockville. It is estimated that the women of Canada do about 80 per cent. of the spending in this country.

News-Argus Advt. Pay



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In wartime, more people are working

and there is more money to spend

but half of what is made is for war

so consumers can't get all they want

and people will bid more for what is available

so prices go up...

and workers need higher wages

costs of production go up

and producers and dealers need higher prices

and the vicious spiral of inflation gets started

but wages and salaries don't catch up with living costs

the spiral grows — and the sky is the limit

money buys less and less

hardship and confusion sweep over factory, farm and home

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, May 21st, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m.—West Huntingdon.

Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.
Minister
Sunday, May 21st, 1944
11.30 a.m.—Mt. Pleasant.
3.30 p.m.—Wellmans.
8.00 p.m.—Bethel.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. David Gray, Minister in Charge
Sunday, May 21st, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
"The Men Who Ran Away"
2.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Carmel, Public Worship.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Sarah McKeown has returned to her home at Mt. Pleasant, having spent the winter months with her family at other points.
Mrs. Will Mackenzie and Hazel, Burnbrae; Mrs. Alfred Merrills, Campbellford, spent Saturday with the Spencer families at Mt. Pleasant.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Weaver, Belleville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson.
Mrs. Frank Williams has returned to her home at Mt. Pleasant, having

spent the winter months with her daughter, in Stirling.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher and Mrs. E. Summers visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw, Ivanhoe, on Sunday.
John Reid is ill at his home suffering with poison ivy.
Friends and relatives here received word of the death of Mrs. Will Hubble, at Toronto, on Wednesday, May 10th. She was formerly Miss Ann Elizabeth Hubble, and was ninety years of age. Besides her family, one brother, Mr. G. F. Hubble survives. The funeral was held in Campbellford

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, May 21st, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.
8.00 p.m.—Gospel Service
Thursday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting

on Saturday afternoon with interment in the cemetery there beside her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Irwin, Rylestone.

Miss Lenora Williams, R.N., Toronto, is holidaying with her brother, Mrs. Frank Williams.

Mrs. John Reid is spending sometime in Trenton, with Mrs. Cleveland Reid, who is recuperating from a recent operation.

Pte. Ormel MacMullen, Camp Borden and Lt. Col. Sidmer Demorest, Camp Borden, spent the week-end at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Weaver and Mr. George Weaver, were among those who attended the funeral last week of Mrs. S. Hubble, Sidney.

MISSION BAND

Mount Pleasant, Rawdon Sunbeam Mission Band, convened at the church on Sunday morning with a good attendance.

Miss Ruth Rose played quiet music and the president, Master Gordon Reid gave the Call to Worship on the theme of Mother, with an appropriate hymn and prayer.

Miss Grace Dunham led in the responsive Scriptures Lesson. Readings were given by Misses Betty McConnell and Joan Johnson.

Mrs. Sid Demorest reported almost fifteen dollars to date with \$13.73 remitted to Presbyterian for the first quarter. The offering amounted to over one dollar with sixty-nine cents birthday money, and was gathered by Miss Marguerite Stone.

Miss Gladys Summers delighted with a vocal selection.

The leader, Mrs. Cyrus Summers, outlined the worship story entitled "Making Men Over."

The Mission Band purpose closed the service.

Mother's Day Service

On Sunday evening at Mt. Pleasant, United Church, the annual Mother's Day Service was held. The Theme was "Homes Make a Nation," and the leaflets carried portraits of General and Madame Chiang-Kai-Shek and Madame's mother, Madame K. T. Soong.

The church was resplendent with potted plants, and a large congregation was in attendance.

Mr. Ross Hoard, superintendent of the Sunday School presided and Miss Lois Weaver was pianist. Following the period of worship, Misses Ruth Linn and Betty McConnell sang a duet.

A short pageant entitled, "An act of Appreciation," depicting how much we owe to our mothers was presented by Misses Gladys Summers, Eleanor Johnson, Marion Johnson, Ruth Rose and Ruth Linn.

Messrs Frank Spencer and Ralph Jeffs gathered the offering which helps carry on the work of religious education throughout the province. The pastor spoke briefly and paid tribute to the home of our King and Queen.

Miss Gladys Summers sang, "What a friend we have in Mother," with guitar accompaniment.

Mr. Jack Rose read, "A Christian Home and a New China," telling of the Soong family. Suitable hymns and Scripture Lessons interspersed the Service.

W. M. S.

Mrs. Will Potts opened her spacious home for the May meeting of Mount Pleasant Rawdon Woman's Missionary Society with thirty in attendance.

Mrs. T. F. Townsend gave the call to worship and Mrs. Ross Hoard played quiet music. Eighteen members answered Roll Call with nine visitors and three children, followed by the National Anthem.

Mrs. George Weaver presided over the Devotional and gave a splendid paper on the theme, "A Christian Civilization." Mrs. Arthur Phillips read the Bible Lesson and Mrs. Percy MacMullen offered prayer with special mention of Dr. Ming Chong, Misses Hunt, Paddock and Clacie.

Mrs. Ross Hoard brought a Temperance message copied from an old almanac. Miss Muriel Sine read the minutes and a letter re ordering The Blue Book.

Mrs. Frank Smith read a letter of thanks. Mrs. Bert Jeffs offered her home for June. Mrs. Will Jeffs delighted with a vocal selection, "Love

Lifted Me," with guitar accompaniment.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver reviewed the six chapters of the Study Book, "For All of Life," written by Dr. and Mrs. W. Wiser, who were missionaries to India. The book says, "So the work of Missions moves on, steadily forward and upward despite many mistakes and disappointments and christian missions become one glorious thought, 'All the world for Christ.'"

The president read a poem, "There always will be God."

Messages from Presbyterian told recently in Tabernacle church, Belleville, was given by the Mrs. Cyrus Summers, Miss Muriel Sine and the President.

Bible passages were read by Mrs. Don Campbell and Mrs. Herb Smith and Mrs. Frank Williams offered prayer.

Mrs. Sid Demorest gathered the offering which was over nine dollars.

Mrs. Burton Sharp read the responses from the Missionary Monthly based on the Study Book, and all sang, "His name Shall Stand For Ever." The pastor closed with the Benediction. The hostess served delicious Maple candy and was tendered a vote of thanks for hospitality.

WEST HUNTINGDON

The farmers have completed their spring seeding and are now engaged in preparing their planting ground. The young cattle have left town for their summer resorts. Jack Frost assisted the farmers in harvesting their fall wheat and old meadows. In fact the hay situation is real serious. A number of the lads who despoiled of their surplus hay last winter are regretting it now. The recent showers and warm weather has made the village look its best some improvements are being made to the buildings. Mr. Elmer Post is making extensive repairs to his house.

Special services were held in all the churches in the district in honour of Mother, and in all of the churches large numbers were in attendance.

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Helen Marilyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fleming was baptised by Rev. W. H. V. Walker.

A number of residents in district are ill at present, Mr. Arthur Thompson, Mrs. Aaron Ashley, Miss Martha Horton and Mrs. William Bray.

W.M.S. of United Church

The May meeting of W.M.S. was held on Thursday afternoon, at the church and was presided over by past president, Mrs. Sandy McCurdy. Mrs. Geo. Cook had charge of Study Book and Miss Georgia Pitman contributed a solo. Mrs. J. R. Stewart gave a fine report of the Presbyterian meeting held at Belleville recently.

News Brief

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson and Mrs. M. Adams were, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McFee of Keene; Mrs. William Fox; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bush and Mrs. Burkitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Haggerty and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hough.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr, were Mr. and Mrs. Adam Brummell, of Massawassa; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McKeown and Gerald, of Minto, and Miss Bessie Pounder, of Belleville.

Mrs. Geo. Post and Mrs. B. Reid, and Mrs. William Taft of Zion's, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy.

Mrs. Leonard Palmer spent the past week with friends at Toronto.

Those from this district, who attended the special meeting at Foxboro Orange Lodge, were Messrs. Ben Brough, John Geen, Algor Post, Sam Donnan, Elmer Post, Mac Saries, Earl Benson, Philip Carr, Murray Morgan, Alvin Carr, Harry Morgan and Arthur Wilson.

Miss Ila Ashley, R. N., of Belleville, spent a few days recently with her father, Mr. Charles Ashley.

Mrs. E. Pitman, Georgie and Jack, visited friends at Millbrook, on Saturday.

Friends of Mrs. Alex McInroy, will be pleased to know that she is improving in health at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Thompson.

MADOC JUNCTION

Mother Day Service was held on Sunday afternoon with a large attendance under the leadership of S. Supt. Mrs. W. Harlow. Mr. Kenneth Stewart read the story of "A Christian Home and a New China," and also gave a splendid address. His Text was taken from 24th chap. 15 verse, Joshua, "But as for me and my house we will serve the Lord." Mrs. Harold West, of Stirling, sang a solo in keeping with Mother's Day programme.

Misses Helen McMullen, Mary Chambers, Ella Wannamaker, Gladys Clarke took the part of Mother's Day.

Funeral Miss Juby

The funeral service for the late Miss M. Juby took place on Tuesday afternoon from her late residence.

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Mr. K. Stewart in charge of the service chose as his text 2nd Timothy, 1 chap. 10th verse, "Jesus Christ who hath abolished death."

Mrs. R. Chambers sang a solo, "When we have gone the last mile." Hymns, "What a Friend we have in Jesus" and "My Faith looks up to Thee," were sung. Interment in Eggleton Cemetery. Pall bearers were Messrs. George McMullen, John Cooke, Howard and Clinton Juby, Morley Eggleton, Clinton Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reid and children, were guests for tea on Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharpe spent the dinner hour on Sunday at the latter's home and attended Mother's Day Service in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haight and Lorena, of Thurlow, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow, of River Valley, spent the tea hour on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Stapley on Mother's Day and over the week-end were Miss Keitha Stapley, R.N., of Toronto; Misses Vera and Marcella, Mr. and Mrs. Harold West, of Stirling; Mr. and Kenneth Stapley and Claire, of Cherry Valley.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart and Mrs. Florence Stewart, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harlow.

Cpl. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley, Stirling, attended Mother Day Service here on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooke, of W. Huntingdon, were dinner guests on Tuesday at the home of the latter's father, Mr. Wm. McMullen.

The W.M.S. and W.A. held their May meeting at the home of Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker last Thursday afternoon. With the president presiding, the meeting opened with the singing of the Theme song and hymn 297, Scripture Lesson: 25th Chapl. Mat-

thew, was read by Mr. Stewart, who also led in prayer; reading "The community Friendship Secty" was given by Mrs. C. Fitchett.

Mrs. Bruce Stapley gave a splendid paper on "The Greater Living." Report of the W.M.S. Convention held recently was given by Mrs. R. Chambers. Plans in regard to open meeting to be held in June were discussed re guest speaker. Mrs. R. Chambers to give address of welcome. Mrs. B. Reid and Miss H. McMullen to welcome visiting members at door. Lunch committee to consist of Mrs. W. Harlow, Mrs. C. Fitchett, Mrs. George Eggleton. Offering taken by Donna Stapley and amounted to \$1.25. Hymn 399 was sung and the repeating of Mizpah benediction closed the meeting.

Hostess served a delicious lunch. Proceeds \$1.15.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawerson, of Plainfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kerr and Ivan, of Moira, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Blakely, of Tweed, and Mrs. S. Coulter, of Thomasburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dettlor and children, and Mrs. Ross, of Foxboro, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lansing.

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Court of Revision

An adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision for the Village of Stirling, will be held in the Council Chambers, on Monday, May 29th, 1944, at 7.30 p.m.

Geo. Lucy, Clerk.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Minnie Agnes Foreman, Deceased.

The creditors of Minnie Agnes Foreman, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Widow, deceased, who died on April 13th, 1944, are notified to send to the undersigned Executors or their solicitors their claims against the Estate of the said deceased on or before the 11th day of June next.

Immediately after the said last mentioned date the assets of the said Estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims delivered as fore-said.

DATED at Campbellford this 5th day of May, 1944.

Norman William John Gummer, And
Harvey C. Pitcher
by their Solicitor,
N. Alex MacColl,
Campbellford, Ont.

Court of Revision

TOWNSHIP OF RAWDON

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the Township of Rawdon will be held at Rawdon Town Hall on

MONDAY, MAY 29th, 1944

at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. for the said Municipality for the year 1943. All persons interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Harold, Ontario, May 6th, 1944.
W. J. Barlow,
Clerk of Rawdon

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Francis Irven, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of February, 1944, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of June, 1944.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN That after the said date the administrators will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville this 3rd day of May, 1944.

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36-3 Solicitors for the Administrators

Notice to Debtors

In the Estate of Alice M. Fleming, Spinster, deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons owing accounts to the Estate of the late Alice Mae (May) Fleming are hereby required to pay the same or make some satisfactory settlement with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix on or before the 15th day of June, A.D. 1944, after which date such action as is necessary will be taken to compel payment.

DATED at Stirling, Ontario this 17th day of May, A.D. 1944.

C. R. Bastedo, Stirling, Ontario
Solicitor for Estella Stevenson, the Administratrix. 38-2t

Proclamation

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Board of Health of the Village of STIRLING

Hereby gives Notice that all persons resident within the Corporation are called upon forthwith to

CLEAN THEIR PREMISES

of Garbage, Refuse, Filth and Debris or other matter or thing thereon or therein likely to be prejudicial to the health of the residents. All wells in use for household purposes shall be cleaned before the first day of July. Privies shall be emptied and disinfected forthwith. R.S.O. 1937, Chap. 299.

Those using slaughter houses are required to comply with Par. 14, Sec. 122 P.H.A., and see that all the surroundings shall be kept subject to approval of Sanitary Inspector.

Every person neglecting to observe this notice on or before

MAY 31st, 1944

Will incur the penalty as prescribed by Law

S. Eggleston, E. A. Carleton, M.D.,
Sanitary Inspector M. O. H.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Mrs. J. W. Sarles, who passed away one year ago, May 19th, 1943.
And while she lies in peaceful sleep,
Her memory we shall always keep,
—Always missed by Margaret and Joe. 38-1t

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Mrs. J. W. Sarles, who passed away May 19, 1943. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance last forever. —Lovingly remembered by husband May and Family. 38-1p

Births

CARTER — At Nicolson's Nursing Home, Stirling, on Wednesday, May 17th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carter, of Holloway, a son.

MORTON — Sgt. and Mrs. Don Morton, of Calgary, Alta., are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Judith Dianne, on Tuesday, May 9th.

WELLMANS

Mrs. Mildred Hulin, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutcheon, Gary and Brian, of Hoards, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and Betty.

Mrs. Don Johnston and Joyce, of Campbellford, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maybee.

Gnr. Roy Sharp, of Kingston, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Andrews and family of Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Frankford, spent Sunday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dean and Evelyn, of Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutcheon, of Burnbrae.

Mr. Reg. McGee and Donna took dinner Sunday at the home of her

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Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGee.

Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Townsend, took dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clancy, Gerald and Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Labrash, of Campbellford, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. Todd and Angus.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maidment and little Charles, of Port Hope, and Miss Bernice Dunham, of Peterboro, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunham and Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dracup, of Peterboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Dracup, of Lakefield, spent Sunday visiting their mother, who is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McGee and Donna, spent Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McKeown, of Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Nix and Chas. visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Faulkner and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tanner and Sally, of Napanee, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dickens, June and Sandra, of Belleville, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Mr.

and Mrs. Fred King.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dunham, Jack and Bernice, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bailey and family, of Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinds, Mrs. Charlie Thrasher and Teddy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley, Hazel and Cecil.

Mrs. Charles Thrasher, of Oshawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher and Teddy.

Sorry to report that Mr. Robert Wallace underwent a serious operation on Monday, in the Belleville General Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Ana English, of Belleville, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton.

Friends at Wellman's are sorry to hear that Mrs. Walter Dracup, had the misfortune to fall and break her leg and is in the Belleville General Hospital.

Seed corn and popcorn are not affected by a recent order freezing stocks of corn stored in Ontario and Quebec elevators.

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*W. A. G. Sgt. Harold F. Taylor
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Sgt. Stewart McGowan, Stirling.
Cpl. Gerald Ward
F/Sgt. Reg. Clarke, Stirling.
W.O. 2 R. G. Scott.
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F/O Desmond Jackson, Stirling.
Cpl. Oliver Stapley, Stirling.
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L.A.C. Douglas McAdam, Stirling.
L.A.C. Russell Woodbeck, Stirling.
L.A.C. Percy White, Stirling.
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Don Frances, Stirling.
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Gnr. Geo. Dunkley.
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Gr. Donald Taylor, Stirling.
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Gr. L. A. Williams, Hoards.
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Pte. Marion Phillips, Stirling.



Significant Statement

The war has reached a point where the authorities in Ottawa must make serious decisions quickly on trade policies for this nation. This has been clear from the fact that a special interdepartmental committee, the External Trade Advisory Committee, has been established now in the capital to concern itself or to act as a means of consultation between several departments or agencies of the Government, including External Affairs, Trade and Commerce, Munitions and Supply, Mutual Aid Board, Finance, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, National Revenue and Agriculture, and involving among other problems consideration of supplies available or demands made both for civilian and military spheres or requirements. The latest information in Ottawa on Canada's foreign trade in the past month has shown a sharp rise in exports in comparison with this figure for the same month of 1943, 1942, and 1941. These exports for the month were \$282,000,000 as compared with \$205,000,000 in the like month of last year, \$175,000,000 in 1942, and \$102,000,000 in 1941. The imports had totalled \$159,000,000 in this same past month, which was a new high mark for the like month in current records and this had compared with \$146,000,000 in 1943, \$145,000,000 in 1942 and \$108,000,000 in 1941.

New Arrangements

On April 20, 1941, the Governments of the United States and Canada signed a history making agreement, commonly known as the "Hyde Park Declaration", whereby the resources of these two neighbouring countries were to have been co-ordinated in order that both nations would be able to produce for war as quickly as possible in the emergency. Now, the changes of circumstances in the war are shown because Canada's Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Halsey, has stated in Parliament that particular financial agreements under this "Hyde Park Declaration" have been brought to a conclusion, though the principle of close collaboration in war production between these two countries will be carried on without any interruption.

Labor Conditions

In view of the labor conditions in other countries at this point in the war and the stories in the press, the man-in-the-street across Canada should be informed that it has been reported in Parliament that last year there were 402 strikes and lockouts in this country, involving 218,404 workers and resulting in the loss of 1,041,198 man-days. In Great Britain where there has been considerable labor unrest lately, there were last year, 1,775 strikes and a loss of 1,800,000 men days.

Intense Political Activities

There is clear evidence now behind the scenes along Parliament Hill that all political parties or groups in Ottawa are strengthening their forces rather quickly in preparation for the battle on the Federal front in the next general election which, it is said, one very well-known political figure on the national scene has gone so far as to forecast may be held "probably in the fall" of this year. This is indicated in the intensity of the activities around the headquarters of the political parties or groups in Ottawa and in their organizations throughout the land. In the Progressive-Conservative camp, the recent announcement about the addition to the forces of Hon. John Bracken of Hon. Charles P. McTague, who sat on the Ontario Appeal Court and who was chairman of the National War Labor Board in Ottawa and of Henry Borden, K.C., who was formerly co-ordinator of controls for the Department of Munitions and Supply in Ottawa, are considered to be only the beginning of other important moves which will follow to bring men of cabinet calibre into this camp. A "Political Action Committee" has been named in Ottawa by the Canadian Congress of Labor to act as a liaison between this important labor body to recognize the C.C.F. "as the political arm of labor." Likewise, in the ranks of the Social Credit Party, especially since the recent national convention, and other groups, there is now an earnestness of application which is strongly suggestive of the coming election. "How come you didn't turn out?" demanded the sergeant. "Didn't you hear the bugle blow reveille?" "Honest, sergeant, I'm afraid I'm going to be a flop as a soldier. I don't know one darn tune from another!"

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



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Spring is in the markets — the counters are beginning to take on a colorful appearance, and to present some items we haven't seen in a long time. Asparagus, for instance, is coming in every morning. It grows quickly and as the season is all to short we should make use of it while we can.

One of the nice ways to serve asparagus is with slices of ham. Cook the asparagus stalks standing them up in a saucepan or with the heads propped up out of the cooking water by inserting a small tin at one side of the kettle. Heat slices of boiled ham in a small amount of tomato juice using another saucepan. When you are ready to serve, lay the slice of ham on the platter and put a serving of asparagus upon it. Serve with a mock hollandaise sauce.

There are still potatoes on the market this year. But let's not waste them. Keep them in a cool dark place and prepare them in ways to prevent waste. A good rule to serve baked potatoes three times a week.

Take a Tip:

1. Check the price per pound or can or package of the food you wish to buy and consider nutritive value before you buy.

2. Store the imported vegetables carefully; they are accustomed to a moist cold atmosphere. Clean and store them in your electric refrigerator in the crisping pan or covered pan.

ASPARAGUS RABBIT

Welsh rabbit served over cooked asparagus tips placed on toast makes a splendid luncheon dish. Crisp bacon may be served in addition.

Melt 1 tbsp. butter in the top part of the double boiler, blend in flour. Add 1-2 cup milk stirring it in gradually to make a smooth sauce. Cook until thickened somewhat and smooth. Grate 1-2 lb. cheese (2 cups) and stir until melted. Add seasonings (1-4 tsp. salt, 1-4 tsp. prepared mustard and 1-4 tsp. paprika). Pour and serve immediately.

ASPARAGUS SALAD

Arrange cooked, chilled asparagus on chicory or watercress. Serve with French Dressing:

1 tsp. salt, 1-2 tsp. pepper, 1-4 cup vinegar, 2 tbsps. chili sauce mixed together. Drop in 1-2 cup salad oil, shaking after each few drops.

ASPARAGUS ROLLS

Cut bread thin, remove crusts and spread with butter. Place in the centre of each slice a cooked asparagus tip marinated with French Dressing. Roll bread around it and secure with tooth picks. Cut in two at an angle after thoroughly chilling the rolls. These are favourite at wedding teas.

CREAMED POTATOES AND ASPARAGUS

Cook vegetables separately, allow one-half pound asparagus to six po-

tatoes. Combine with cream sauce, using half asparagus water and half milk for liquid.

MOCK HOLLANDAISE SAUCE

2 tablespoons butter, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1 cup milk, 1-2 tablespoons flour, 1 tsp. lemon juice, 1 egg yolk.

Melt butter on top of double boiler. Add flour and blend until smooth. Add salt and lemon juice. Add cold milk gradually, stirring constantly. Cook over hot water continuing to stir until mixture thickens. Cook for 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Pour hot sauce over beaten egg yolk. Return to top of double boiler. Heat thoroughly. Serve very hot. Be sure and remove from heat if sauce must be kept standing for a while before serving.

The Question Box:

Mrs. J. M. asks: How do you bake kippers?

Answer: The easiest and yet nutritious way: Arrange them on an oven-proof platter or pie plate and pour tomato soup over them. Dot with butter; sprinkle with seasoning and bake in a hot electric oven for 20 minutes. Serve with a slice of lemon and piping hot toast.

Mrs. B. J. asks: How do you make a good crumb pie paste.

Answer: Use very fine bread crumbs. Make fine crumbs. Combine with two tps. sugar and two tbsps. melted mild-flavoured shortening or butter to each cup of crumbs. Pack into pie plate about one-eighth inch thick and bake in electric oven at 350 degrees for 15 to 20 mins. Then cool and fill.

Mrs. A. H. says: Tell folks that their housecleaning is not finished until they clean the condenser of their electric refrigerator. We clean the fine coils twice, a year with the vacuum cleaner attachment or a long handled brush.

Note: Pull the cord from the convenience outlet to disconnect the refrigerator before you start the cleaning.

Mrs. S. Mc. asks: Why do some pieces of home-corned beef become tough when boiled and other pieces do not.

Answer: You never "boil" ham or corned beef. If the water is kept boiling the fibres of the meat become tough. Start the meat in boiling water and boil it for several minutes so the heat will penetrate to the centre of the meat, then turn down the element so the water does not bubble but keeps at a simmering temperature.

"How do you make that out?"

gaped grandpa. "Why," replied the youngster, "It says in the Bible that Job cursed the day he was born."

Betty: "Do you know you're wearing your ring on the wrong finger?"

Ethel: "Yes, I married the wrong one."

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Victory For Love

BY PAMELA WYNNE

CHAPTER I

As Dr. Warner sauntered along, breathing in the exquisite beauty of the scene that stretched out around him—Downs that ran to the edge of the sea and lost themselves in the gray jagged rocks now almost covered by the incoming tide—he wondered whether it wasn't almost too beautiful. Had one any right to remain in a place where there wasn't even a strenuous when the glory of immortal London was being smirched day and night by savages? Well . . . Dr. Dr. Warner raised his head and tried not to think.

He was on his way to Pole Star House to see Mrs. Maturin. Every body in Battle Point knew they had been friends for years, but no breath of scandal had ever touched them. Some day that pathetic vacant figure in the expensive nursing home would fall out into the Unseen, and then perhaps . . . And at that point Mrs. Maturin would shake back the curly hair from her face and decide it was wiser not to think any more. For to be his wife! What bliss!

"Any letters for Pole Star House, Burwash?" he asked as the old postman passed.

"Yes, sir, one from Mr. Sholto." Old Burwash was flickering through the packet of letters in his hand. "And one from I don't know who," ended old Burwash mischievously.

"I'll take them. Save you a walk, Burwash."

Dr. Warner's face was cheerful as he strolled along the well-known path, partly because he was going to see the only woman he had ever really cared for and partly because he carried a letter from her son in his hand. Sholto Maturin had been rejected by the Army! he was serving his articles in a prominent firm of London solicitors, and belonged to the A.R.P. And the only way Mrs. Maturin could help was to make no fuss even if her son was in danger. She

could take in refugees but she didn't want to and if they came swarming over the house, Grace would leave and life would be unthinkable. She had been with her ever since her husband died, fifteen years ago. Mrs. Maturin would often smile her rather enticing little smile and think what fun it was to be forty. At that age you really enjoyed being comfortable. A lovely fire and tea on a low table and the knowledge that some time during the day Dr. Warner would come to see her, looking at her with a gaze that one day would flame out into love as he told her that his pathetic idiot wife had at last got her release.

Part of the joy of Sholto's letters was reading them aloud to Dr. Warner. Mrs. Maturin had snatched at this one and let fall the other as Dr. Warner held out the letters to her.

"I thought you'd be pleased," Dr. Warner lowered himself into his special chair.

Mrs. Maturin bent over the sheet of notepaper in her hand. The firelight shone on her hair turned to a red-dy gold as she folded up the letter and put it back into the envelope.

"Who's your other letter from?" asked Dr. Warner.

"Oh, one of those scrubby, yellow Government things. Like Income Tax. Pretty soon I shan't have any money left," said Mrs. Maturin childishly. "I shall have to keep a hotel or something. This house would do beautifully for a hotel." She tore open the envelope.

"Oh! No!" she gasped out the words, staring at him like a frightened child. "Listen."

"Madam—On investigation we find that Pole Star House has accommodation for twelve evacuees with their parents, four sharing a room. Plans are not yet matured for evacuation on a large scale to Battle Point, but please hold yourself ready. No appeal is possible against a decision by your local council but if you have

dependent relatives who may wish to avail themselves of your accommodation kindly state your case at the above address before March the fifteenth."

"I can't have evacuees here; Grace would leave," Mrs. Maturin sat down hurriedly. "Oh, here is tea."

"Yes, wait; we'll talk it over afterward. Well, Grace, and how are you today?"

"Very well, thank you, sir." After laying the tea she went out again. She had drawn a low table up close to the fire, and it was cozy and delightful, thought Dr. Warner, stretching out his long legs.

"Yes, but what am I to do?" Mrs. Maturin suddenly felt perplexed and cross. "Mrs. Mills had refugees at the Mill House, and they behaved exactly like savages."

Dr. Warner laughed. "If you don't want to take evacuees you'll have to fill the house with dependent relatives, and as you haven't any but Sholto, that won't be easy."

"I really cannot face taking in evacuees."

"No, I see that. And honestly I don't think you are fit to cope with them. But you will have to do something and do it quickly. The point is what."

"What I do depends so enormously on Grace."

"Naturally. But you know the Government won't care a rap about Grace. They'll simply say you have accommodation for so many people and proceed to provide you with them."

"Oh, I know you think I'm disgusting," said Mrs. Maturin explosively, "and I know I am. But it's so heavenly as it is; this house, and a lovely fire and you coming in, and Sholto's letters. And then the idea of filling it all up with revolting people, and Grace leaving and not being able to get anyone to do the work and all the bother about feeding them. And if they pay even only a little they will fuss; people always do. I just feel as if I couldn't stand it," said Mrs. Maturin and her blue eyes filled with tears.

"Come here," Dr. Warner spoke quietly as he held out one hand.

With a little rush Mrs. Maturin was on her knees at his chair. She caught hold of his hand and held it to her face. "Listen to me," he said. "I have a plan. And I want to explain it to you."

While Dr. Warner and Mrs. Maturin talked in the drawing room, Grace sat in the kitchen having her tea and feeling miserable. Something was on foot. She could tell it from her mistress's expression. A lot of dirty evacuees, that's what it was. "I won't stay," muttered Grace. "Not even for the mistress I won't stay and clear up after a lot of dirty monkeys."

But the bother was that Grace knew she would stay, and was sitting there wondering how she would be able to bear it. Months and months of it, perhaps years—because no one knew how long this war would last. Her glance strayed over her beloved kitchen and she thought how everything was changed for the worse, just because a dirty little paperhanger hadn't been choked when he was born or someone hadn't crammed his head into his pall of whitewash when they could have done.

That was how Mrs. Maturin found her; sitting there, just staring into the fire. Mrs. Maturin's face was flushed because she had just said goodbye to Dr. Warner.

"Tell me why you look so miserable," Mrs. Maturin had a soft, quick way of speaking. "Come into the drawing room and tell me. I have something to consult you about."

"I know what it is. It's about evacuees. I can't stay if you have evacuees. At least I can, but it'll break my heart," wailed Grace.

"Grace, dear, listen," Mrs. Maturin was trying not to laugh. "It isn't evacuees. Come along, you darling old thing, and I'll tell you."

"Now then, Grace," she began, while Grace listened with her nice old face intent. "What do you think?" Maturin asked finally.

"Well, mum, Grace lifted trusting eyes, "whatever you say, mum, that's what I feel about it. If it was evacuees I couldn't have stayed."

"Oh, Grace!" Mrs. Maturin sat forward, "I was so afraid that you would say you must go. Dr. Warner thinks that we could take four paying guests."

And then in front of the bright little fire they began to talk, while overhead a flight of ducks winged its way to a nearby lake. The ducks rather contemptuously changed their course as a Sutherland flying boat roared up

from an airdrome hidden among trees and rocks and camouflaged sheds.

"Never have so many owed so much to so few." The immortal words leapt into Mrs. Maturin's mind as she heard the roar above.

And as she and Grace talked, John Wynter switched round in his office chair and groaned with fatigue. Below his window the London traffic roared and squealed. Overhead the guns crashed and bellowed. Hell let loose! Should he order his staff below? He pressed the bell on his desk.

"Yes, Mr. Wynter." It was his typist, neat as a new pin. Lips made up to a turn and the curls on her neck neatly set.

"What about a descent to the depths?"

"I should prefer to finish my letters if you don't mind, Mr. Wynter. I want to go to a dance tonight, and I don't like to waste any time."

"Just as you like." What right had he to feel tired? thought John Wynter when he was alone again. Fearless and undaunted, these young people were too marvelous for words. He felt suddenly refreshed and alert.

The next morning Mrs. Maturin hurried off to consult her friend Netta Jackson on the proposed plans.

"Why have you come so early?" asked Netta. "I could tell by your voice on the phone that you were bursting with something."

"Well, it's this. To begin with I can tell you that Grace agrees; I know you'll ask me that first. Also Dr. Warner."

"Then proceed." Netta's clever face was attentive. "I see," she said as Joan finished. "And I think the idea is excellent. But how are you going to make your hotel known to the sort of people you want to collect?"

"What would you suggest?"

"Just this," Netta picked up a copy of the Times from a chair and ran her finger down a backpage column. "On the coast of Cornwall, far from military objectives, a small private hotel has accommodation for four visitors. Terms, five guineas a week." Netta put down the paper.

"As much as that?"

"You can always reduce it and there are loads of people who can afford five guineas a week, especially now that the Government has declared a moratorium for evacuated areas. Let's get busy about the advertisement." After a moment or two she lifted her close-cropped head. "Listen," she said. "How do you like this? On the North Devon coast, far from military objectives, a small private hotel can take four visitors. Excellent golf links and gas fires. Hot and cold water in all bedrooms. Terms, five guineas a week."

"I like it," said Joan, reflecting, "but I feel quite sick with terror," she said simply.

"Oh, don't be feeble, Joan," said Netta bracingly. "Get a grip! You're far too spoiled. This is war, and you must take your share of it. I would, only I literally can't write with bombs falling, and I must write to live. Now, if you approve of this, type it out and we'll go and get a postal order. With luck it will be in London tomorrow and in The Times the next day, and then you'll begin to have answers."

The two friends started down the steep path that led from Netta's cottage to the main road. Soon the letter was mailed and they went through the gate that took them up the rough path to Pole Star House.

"It was a preposterous place to build a home," said Joan, staring at the back of it. Gray and straggly, as if built without plan, but inside warm and snug.

"Yes, but it's got a divine view." Four bedrooms all facing the sea, except one that faces the light-house. All the rooms were nice, thought Netta, making a tour of them. Everything dusted and as it should be. Pretty brocade curtains lined with dark green for the blackout.

As the landlady of No. 7 Prince's Terrace came down the stairs she saw that Monsieur Victor had not taken in his morning paper, so she tapped at the door. "Here is your paper, sir," Mrs. Payne spoke very quietly, as she always did to Monsieur, as her husband called him. For it was so awful to see a gentleman just doing nothing but staring into an unlighted gas fire.

(To be Continued)

EMPLOYEES FROZEN IN AGRICULTURE

Persons employed in agriculture are frozen to the industry, subject to the authority given to such persons to engage in employment outside agriculture which is not in an urban municipality for a period of not more than 60 days in any year when such employment does not interfere with agricultural production, states National Selective Service.

As a general rule the movement of agricultural workers to employment

outside of agriculture must be discouraged except where the new employment is to be in one of the following primary industries: lumbering, logging, forestry, fishing, trapping, mining.

Selective Service points out that every effort should be made to further the policy of retaining agricultural workers in agricultural employment and seasonal employment in the primary industries named.

In Districts where there is no employment available in certain specified primary industries, a permit limited in duration may be granted to "a person employed in agriculture" enabling him to take war work during the winter months when his services are not required on the farm, but only rarely does permits be granted unlimited as to time.

When issuing a permit to a farmer to take temporary employment outside of agriculture, he should clearly understand that the permit is limited in time and that he is expected to return to agricultural employment immediately after the time stated on the permit.

A person employed in agriculture does not require a permit to accept seasonal or temporary employment outside an urban municipality for not

more than 60 days in any year when such employment does not interfere with agricultural production.

Two Previous Rejections

In regard to the story that the Government of Alberta has caused a petition to be sent to Ottawa as a request for a private bill to be enacted for the incorporation of a province owned bank, it must be pointed out that a somewhat similar move was made on two previous occasions in the past, including one in 1940 and another in 1941. However, with banking under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Federal Government by the constitution, on both occasions the Banking Committee had rejected these requests on the ground of the "subject matter" involved, with these rejections having been strongly influenced by the decisions of the Department of Justice that such an act would be not in strict accord with constitutional law. Then again, it must be pointed out that since the rules of the House of Commons require that all such petitions must be furnished within the first six weeks of the session and this petition was filed late due to the death of Premier Aberhart, the Alberta Government is subject to the payment of a penalty.



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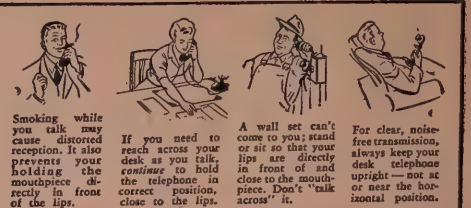
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But we are all agreed that these efforts, and particularly the latter, will fail unless the whole Church is caught into a restored enthusiasm for missionary and evangelistic effort. We are fighting to preserve our own faith within our own borders; hereafter we must fight, with very different weapons, to extend that faith throughout the world and to deepen its acceptance in our own lands.

For these high purposes the British and Foreign Bible Society is an essential auxiliary. It is, as it were, the ground crew of those gracious air-men of the Spirit who go forth to carry glad tidings of good to the whole earth. It is in itself a strong witness to our unity; and with its scholarship and patience, it supplies the necessary material of the Word of God, without which this gentle warfare cannot continue.

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J. R. P. SCLATER,
Moderator of the United Church of Canada

Ed. Note—A canvas for funds for the above-mentioned Society will be made in Stirling in the coming months and we commend this most worthy organization to our readers.

BETHEL CHURCH SERVICE HONOURS MOTHERS

Bethel United Church held Mother's Day Service Sunday afternoon with the superintendent Mr. R. Welbourne in charge. The special programme leaflets were used, and Mr. Robert Elliott presided at the piano. Miss Muriel Welbourne gave the story "A Christian Home and a New China." Misses Vivian and Ruth Welbourne sang a duet, "Mother's Bible." An act of appreciation was given by four girls—Bertha Kirkey, Vivian and Ruth Welbourne and Francis Morrison. Misses Dorothea and Vivian Cooney sang a duet, "Mother of Mine," and Mr. Townsend brought an inspiring message.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Sgt. Robt. Cooke, of Ottawa, was a week-end visitor at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duncan, of Batavia, were guests of friends in town for the week-end.

Mr. W. Wilkins, of Haliburton, was a week-end guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Hellmuth.

Mrs. Ada Dodwell, of Oshawa is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Rodgers.

Mrs. Herbert Elliott, Admiral, Sask., was a guest last week of her nephew, Mr. W. T. Elliott.

Mrs. J. G. Beatty, of Toronto, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Hugh Morton.

Mrs. Gordon Bailey left Sunday to spend ten days with relatives in Toronto.

Misses Dorothy West and Shirley Travers spent the week-end in Kingston with the former's sister, Opl. Marjorie West.

Douglas Gray, son of Rev. and Mrs. David Gray, of Stirling, has been successful in his third year examinations at Queen's University.

Mrs. Max Preston underwent an operation for appendicitis in Belleville Hospital on Sunday. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fitzpatrick, spent the week-end at the former's home here. Mrs. Fitzpatrick is remaining for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, of Winnipeg, are visiting Mr. Rodgers' mother and brothers, Louis and Arthur, also his sister, Mrs. A. Gordanier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead, and

Glen, spent Sunday in Campbellford, guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Andrew Hay.

Mr. J. Steacy, teller at the local branch of the Bank of Montreal left Tuesday for Brockville, where he will fill a vacancy on the staff of the Bank of Montreal temporarily.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliott, on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott, Wallbridge, and Mr. C. M. Elliott, Queens University, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elliott are in Toronto to-day, attending Graduation Exercises at Toronto General Hospital, where Miss Norma McPherson is among the graduates.

Flt. Lieut. J. Clinton McGee, RCAF, who has been transferred from Edmonton to Jarvis, Ont., spent Tuesday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGee.

Friends of Mrs. Kenneth Ray, who underwent an operation in Belleville Hospital recently, will be pleased to learn that she returned home on Saturday evening.

Rowan Walker, son of Rev. and Mrs. W.H.V. Walker, is receiving the congratulations of his friends on having passed his second year examinations at the Ontario Veterinary College.

Messrs. J. L. Good, C. E. Macklin, Gordon Bailey, R. E. Fox and H. R. Tompkins, paid a fraternal visit to Madoc Lodge, on Monday night. The occasion was marked by the official visit of Rt. Wor. Bro. Wm. Couby, D.D.G.M. of Prince Edward District.

Monday night of this week and elected the following officers for the ensuing year.—President, Rev. J. R. Holden; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. H. Mumby. It was also decided to ask each church in the territory covered to appoint a representative from their membership and collectors to canvas for donations.

The meeting was opened by Rev. J. R. Holden, assisted by Rev. A. B. Caldwell. Mr. Holden and J. F. Baker, contributed a vocal duet, "In the Garden." Mrs. Lorne Johnston acted as organist.

Mr. Holden turned the meeting over to Rev. F. B. Allnutt, B.D., D.Th., District Secretary of the Bible Society who gave a very entertaining and instructive talk and showed four splendid moving picture films showing the work of missionaries in the heart of Africa.

One film gave pictures of different wild animals in Africa in their native haunts and fighting each other.

Mr. Holden and Mr. Caldwell expressed their appreciation to Mr. Allnutt and the meeting was closed with the benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Reid and daughter, Deguna, of Oshawa, spent the week-end with Mr. Reads parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reid. They also called on other friends.

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SPRINGBROOK

Pte. Richard Reid, R.C.T.C., Camp Borden, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Alex Reid and family.

Mrs. Charles Parr, Miami, Florida, is spending sometime with her mother Mrs. F. Linn and sister, Mrs. Percy Mumby.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reid, Rylestone, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid, on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Martha Morgan, Belleville, spent the week-end at her home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green and family, Stirling, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Heath.

Miss Myrtle McKeown, Peterboro, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKeown and Margaret.

Mrs. C. A. MacConnell, Belleville, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ketcheson, Brighton, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sarles, Stirling, Mrs. Richie Mason and children, Stirling, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mason and Elda, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey and Ross, Thomasburg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McKeown.

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BIBLE SOCIETY RE-ORGANIZED

Decision to re-organize the Springbrook-Bonarlaw branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society was taken at a well attended public meeting in the Springbrook United Church, Monday night. Rev. F. B. Allnutt, of Toronto, district secretary, was present for the meeting and showed interesting motion pictures on missionary work in the heart of the Belgian Congo.

The executive of the Springbrook-Bonarlaw branch includes Rev. J. R. Holden, president; Rev. A. B. Caldwell, vice-president; Mrs. H. Mumby, secretary-treasurer. Each congregation in the district will be asked to appoint a representative on the executive and plans will then be made to canvass the area in the interests of the Bible Society.

Appreciation for the visit of the district secretary was expressed by Rev. Mr. Caldwell.

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Stirling W. I. Holds Annual

**Mrs. R. E. Gould Chosen As
President For Coming Year
—Splendid Reports Heard**

The annual meeting of Stirling Branch of the Women's Institute was held in the community hall, with splendid reports being presented by the secretary-treasurer and the convener of the war work committee. The forty-third district annual convention for West Hastings W. I. will be held in Stirling, on June 8th next, and the Stirling members will serve the dinner. Mrs. Fred Heasman, District President, will preside.

Mrs. W. C. West, secretary-treasurer, presented the following financial report.

Receipts	
Money on hand beginning of year	\$ 38.51
Members Fees	4.50
Grant	3.00
Money raised	846.16
Total	\$892.30

Expenditures	
Caretaker	\$ 12.00
Officers Expenses, Postage, Stationery, Printing and Publicity	17.97
Other expenses	758.62
Balance in Bank	103.71
Total	\$892.30

This money was raised by fees, grant, donations, rent of dishes, sale of crib quilt, sale of quilt, the top donated by Mrs. McGinnison, one card party, one wedding dinner, pot luck dinner and dances.

The money spent was for the following: Orchestra, caller, wax, food, fruit for the sick, gifts for three brides, federation, district and area fees, sugar for jam for Britain, \$10.00, yarn, \$27.00, Red Cross, \$10.00; B.W.V.F., \$10.00; Village Council, \$25; Salvation Army, \$50.00; cigarettes, \$40.00; a needy family in town, \$20; Ditty bags and Christmas boxes, about \$75.00; twenty quilts sent to Salvation Army, 12 pair of socks also 10 pair of socks knit for army with their own yarn. We have a quantity of yarn on hand to knit. Some members are working with Rawdon Red Cross.

The election of officers resulted as follows.

President, Mrs. R. E. Gould; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. H. Cooke; Secretary, Mrs. W. West; Dist. Director, Mrs. E. Nicolson; Directors, Mrs. E. Cooke and Mrs. H. Tulloch; War work Convener, Mrs. H. Cooke; Quilt Convener, Mrs. C. Wright and Mrs. M. Ward; Friendship Convener, Mrs. P. Bronson; Pianist, Mrs. N. Heath; Song Leader, Mrs. H. Rodgers; District Delegate, Mrs. L. Rodgers.

Mrs. Nicolson thanked all members who had helped to make the year a success and asked all to co-operate with the new president for the coming year.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

River Valley W.I. Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the R. V. W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Carr. Attendance of 13 members and 2 visitors.

The election of officers for the coming year took place which are as follows.

Pres.—Mrs. Fred McDonnell.
1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. Tommy Hanna.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh.
Sec.—Mrs. J. L. Donohoe.
Pianists—Mrs. Chard; assistant, Mrs. P. Uiman.
Dist. Director—Mrs. Alex Brush.
Directors—Mrs. J. Kane, Miss Florence Rosebush, Mrs. Ross Bush, Mrs. W. Short.
Auditors—Mrs. Jen Donohoe; Mrs. Don Donohoe.

Dist. Annual will be held in Stirling June 8. Mrs. Don Donohoe is delegate to the Dist. Annual. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tommy Hanna, June 1st. The meeting closed with the National Anthem and a nice lunch was served by the hostess and a social half hour spent.

Attend Clinic

Members of the teaching staffs of both local schools attended a medical clinic in Madoc Monday afternoon. A travelling unit from the Department of Health, co-operating with the Department of Education, is providing a free chest clinic for teachers of all schools in the province.

Back With Unit

With the Canadian Army in Italy—Pte. Fred Dainard, of Stirling, Ont., serving in Italy is back with his unit after having had a seven-day leave at the Eighth Army's Rest Camp.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Munro, of Norwood, announce the engagement of their daughter, Olive Isobel, to Gnr. Donald Webster Langille, only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Langille, of Edmonton, Alta. The marriage is to take place the latter part of June in Norwood.

Quiet Affair

To children educated in a noisy observance of Victoria Day, Wednesday was a complete "fizzle." The absence of firecrackers made it a very quiet affair. None have been manufactured in Canada for some time, since the companies that used to turn them out are now busy making rockets, smoke generators, flares and signal cartridges for the armed services; and reserve supplies of the traditional noisemakers have meantime dropped to zero.

SAWMILL BURNED

Munro Bros. sawmill at Millbridge, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night.

Cabled Greetings

On Sunday, May 14th, Mrs. Clarence Runnalls, of Harold, received a cablegram from her son, Vernon Runnalls, R.C.N.V.R., conveying best wishes for Mother's Day. In one of his recent letters home he stated that three copies of the News-Argus were waiting for him in England and the home town paper was the best friend he had.

Honour Couple

A large assembly of people gathered at town hall, Harold, Wednesday evening to do honor to Mr. and Mrs. David Cotten on the eve of their departure for their new home in Trenton.

Reeve W. J. Tanner filled the chair very capably, and called upon several old neighbors for short speeches all testifying to the worthiness of Mr. and Mrs. Cotten. Several musical selections were rendered and also duets. Mrs. Carman Sine acted as accompanist. After an address was read the gifts were on display; a beautiful floor lamp which shed its rays over several other gifts, namely, a table lamp, an electric heater, a bed lamp and electric iron. Mr. and Mrs. Cotten both thanked their friends and invited them to their home in Trenton. After a bountiful lunch all bid farewell regretfully to Mr. and Mrs. Cotten.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cotten, Dear friends,—

We your friends and neighbours have gathered here tonight, to express to you our regrets at seeing you leave our neighborhood.

For over forty years you have been in our midst and we have always found you ready and willing to help in any worthy cause, and especially have we found you a true neighbour in every sense of the word, where there was sickness and trouble.

By your upright and exemplary characters you have endeared yourselves to everyone here tonight, and we hope that in the not too distant future you will see your way clear to return and pass the sunset of your lives among your friends here. As a slight token of our respect for you both, we ask you to accept these gifts.

Not for their intrinsic value but as a reminder of the many friends you are leaving at Harold.

Signed on behalf of the community.

A Splendid Achievement

To the Citizens of the County of Hastings:

Now that the Sixth Victory Loan is over and the results have been made known, I feel sure that you people of the County of Hastings have every reason to feel proud of this splendid achievement.

The general public of Hastings was called upon to "subscribe an amount unprecedented in this County. This was a great challenge. It meant an all out effort and sacrifice on the part of its citizens. As in previous loans you accepted your responsibility, and have taken your share in this great financial undertaking, and have subscribed a total of \$3,729,700, as against an objective of \$3,500,000, a very creditable showing.

You may very well feel proud of such an achievement and you may know that the men of Hastings County who are serving in the Army Navy and Air Force in the various battle areas of the world will receive great encouragement, particularly at this critical time when they are waiting the call to go forward and do their part in the mighty invasion which is imminent.

The ultimate success of such a campaign depends to a great extent on its organization.

As Chairman, I desire to pay tribute and express my thanks and appreciation to all those who were associated with me and who contributed so much to the success of the campaign.

Again may I express to you my personal thanks.

J. J. Trudeau,
General Chairman,
National War Finance Committee,
Hastings County.

Springbrook I.O.O.F. Attend Service

Springbrook Lodge I.O.O.F., No. 429 attended divine service at St. Mark's Anglican Church at 3 p.m. Sunday last. There was a splendid attendance, visitors being present from Campbellford and Stirling and a large number of Rebekahs from Laurel Rebekah Lodge, Stirling. Past Grand Sidney Mason acted as Marshall for the Oddfellows and Mrs. E. G. Bailey, Past Grand, for the Rebekahs.

Rev. A. B. Caldwell delivered a splendid and appropriate sermon. The lesson was read by W. J. Cottrell. During the offertory, J. F. Baker sang the solo, "Jesus Remembers When the World Forgets."

BUY COAL EARLY

E. J. Brunning, coal controller, said yesterday that some "limited supplies" of coal now are available in Ontario and Quebec, but warned that unless householders take "immediate" steps to obtain their authorized requirements they may run the risk of going short next winter.

Cranberry sauce is ration-free until August 31, when it will return to the ration list.

Over \$239 From Tag Day

Citizens of Stirling and community responded generously to the appeal for funds for the Navy League of Canada on Saturday last and contributed \$239.50 for the work of this worthy organization. Mr. J. L. Good had charge of the canvas and desires to express his sincere appreciation to all who contributed and to the girls who did the canvassing.

Killed In Action

Another young man of this district has paid the supreme sacrifice in defence of freedom. Word was received on Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirkey, of Harold, that their son, Pte. Edward Kirkey, a member of the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, had been killed in action in Italy on Wednesday, May 17th. Pte. Kirkey, who was in his 22nd year, went overseas early this year. Three brothers are also serving in the armed forces, Cpl. Lorne Kirkey, in England; Gr. Jas. Kirkey, in Italy, and Pte. Earl Kirkey, at Camp Borden. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mrs. J. Daniels, Foxboro, spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. A. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ward spent the 24th with friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brooks and David, of Wellington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Brooks.

L. K. Tompkins, of Ottawa, visited his mother, Mrs. Margaret Tompkins, on Monday night.

Mrs. George Rosebush will celebrate her 80th birthday at her home on Saturday, May 27th.

Rev. C. C. Brazil is attending a meeting of Diocesan Synod, being held in Kingston this week.

Marilyn Eggleton and Helen Stinson spent the holiday guests of Denise Vandome, at West Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Luery, of Myrtle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Luery, this week.

Mrs. W. L. Desjardins returned home on Saturday after spending three weeks with relatives in Picton. Friends of Grace Carleton will regret to learn that she is ill with rheumatic fever and hope for her early recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordonier, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rodgers and Mrs. Louis Rodgers spent Thursday in Belleville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw.

Mrs. Roy Brooks, Noreen and Janice, returned home to Toronto, on Sunday after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Brooks.

Mrs. Gordon Wylie and children, of Brantford, Ont., are spending some time with Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Carleton.

Mrs. Fred Wickett, of Rosetown, Sask., arrived in Stirling on Thursday of last week to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Robt. Rodgers, and other friends.

Pte. Roy Juby, of the Army Pay Corps, who has been transferred from Brockville to Kingston, and Mrs. Juby spent the week-end at the former's home here.

Stoker Frank Rodgers, of the RCNVR, Kingston, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rodgers, and brother Donald, prior to leaving for Quebec, on Monday.

Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Rodgers and Bobbie returned to Ottawa on Tuesday, accompanied by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, who will spend the next two weeks visiting their son and their daughter, Mrs. Russell Burrows, and Mr. Burrows.

Dr. and Mrs. P. V. Helliwell and Miss Della Caldwell, attended the baccalaureate service for the graduating class of nurses, of which Miss Jean Helliwell is a member, held in Bridge St. United Church, Belleville, on Sunday evening.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rodgers for the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rodgers, Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Parker, Beaver Falls, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weaver, New Bremen, N.Y.; Capt. Robt. Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers and baby, of Ottawa; Mrs. Helena Wickett, Saskatoon. They also attended the 92nd birthday celebration of Mrs. C. Rodgers, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordonier, on Sunday.

Teachers Resign!

The resignation of Misses B. Sandoverly and Ruth 'Whale, who have served for the past two years on the staff of the local High School, have been received by the Teachers' Committee of the Board of Education.

Undergoes Operation

Friends of Mrs. Percy Craighead will regret to learn that she underwent a major operation in Belleville Hospital on Monday. The latest report is that she is progressing as well as may be expected.

MILK PRODUCTION UP

Although Central Ontario has thus far this season shown a decreased make of cheese, yet Roger Factory, with 16,400, Springbrook with 10,700, Maple Leaf with 15,000, Harold with 12,600, Plum Grove with 11,700, are averaging 2,000 lbs. of milk per day in excess of the same date last year.

Graduates As Nurse

Miss Jean Helliwell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. V. Helliwell, of Stirling, was a member of the graduating class of nurses of Belleville General Hospital, who received their diplomas at the graduation exercises on Thursday evening last. Her many friends join in extending congratulations.

GUEST PREACHER

Rev. C. W. Barrett, of Brighton, a former minister of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, will be the guest preacher at the following district churches next Sunday, May 28. West Huntingdon, at 11 a.m.; Eggleton, 2.30 p.m. and Moira at 8 p.m.

92nd Birthday Celebrated

A pleasant time was spent on Sunday, May 21st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gordonier, when a large number of friends and relatives gathered to honour the latter's mother, Mrs. Robert Rodgers, who was celebrating her 92nd birthday. The dinner guests, immediate relatives numbering twenty-five, included four generations. After dinner pictures were taken. During the afternoon a number of friends called to extend their felicitations to Mrs. Rodgers. In the evening relatives and friends numbering seventy gathered. After the usual congratulations, Mrs. Rodgers was asked to open the many gifts, cards and telegrams received during the day. Mrs. Rodgers in a few well-chosen words expressed her thanks. All sang, "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mr. Will Rodgers moved a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Gordonier for their kindness. Mrs. Gordonier replied and brief remarks were made by others present. The ladies then served a dainty lunch with Mrs. David Gray pouring tea. Those serving were Miss Alice Rodgers, Miss Dora Rodgers, Mrs. Maurice Bell and Mrs. Don Rodgers, with Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, Mrs. J. G. Shaw, Belleville, Mrs. Louis Rodgers, Mrs. Arthur Rodgers and Mrs. Fred Wickett, assisting.

Those present from a distance were Mrs. Fred Wickett, Rosetown, Saskatchewan; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, Winnipeg, Manitoba; Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Rodgers and Bobbie, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weaver, New Bremen, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Royal Parker, Beaver Falls, N.Y.; Mrs. Ada Dodwell, Oshawa; Stoi. Frank Rodgers, Quebec.

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GUILTY OF SETTING FIRES WILL SERVE TWO MONTHS

Orley Joyce, age 22, of Harold, Ontario, appeared before Magistrate John L. Lloyd in police court, at Belleville, Friday morning. Convicted on a charge of negligently setting fires with matches, he was sentenced to serve two months in the common jail. Crown Attorney B. C. Donnan, K.C., informed the court that it had been found advisable to withdraw two charges of arson against the youth. The charge on which Joyce was convicted concerning two fires that were discovered and extinguished in the Harold district some time ago.

Empire Youth Sunday Observed

**Girl Guides And Brownies
Attend St. John's Church
for Service Sunday Morning**

The Girl Guides and Brownies attended St. John's Anglican Church on Sunday morning. Rev. C. C. Brazil, rector, delivered an inspiring address in keeping with Empire Youth Sunday.

"These are great times of challenge for youth—the world today, more than ever before, presents a great opportunity for service," stated Mr. Brazil. "In all theatres of war you will find Girl Guides rendering a wonderful service to the wounded, the dying and the hungry. At home, useful work is being carried on in the development of personality—What you are and what you hope to become. In this way the hope of the world today lies with youth. Great problems confront the world and will continue when the war is over. Girl Guides and Brownies are on the alert now, getting ready for that great day of victory and the pursuit of peace."

"There should be throughout life what Girl Guides call the patrol spirit. No Girl Guide wants to belong to a cuckoo or joy patrol. To belong to a joy patrol would simply mean making one's life too showy, with no foundation. The kind of girl who forever talks and says very little—the girl who thinks that fine clothes is the be-all and end-all of life. To belong to the cuckoo patrol would mean getting your own way and then passing your responsibility on to others. If you belonged to the joy patrol you would be imitation Girl Guides, who dressed themselves up in uniform, gave themselves badges, swanked about for a bit, but never really grasped the Guide spirit nor did Guide work. Every Girl Guide and Brownie must learn to stand upon her own feet."

"On this Empire Youth Sunday let us consider some of the situations in life requiring steadfastness and strength of character. Take the matter of accepting and fulfilling responsibility. Responsibility begins early in life and continues throughout life. And early in life a child reveals her attitude to responsibility, the little duties a Brownie is called upon to fulfil, keeping her uniform in order, respecting other people's property, obeying her leader and parents. Some Brownies soon develop a sense of responsibility and can be relied upon to fulfill their duties. Others, however, try to dodge or evade their responsibilities and unless this is corrected, they become members of the cuckoo patrol."

"What we do as Brownies and Girl Guides determines the kind of adults we are going to grow up to be. If there is one lesson which needs to be taught in every school room, in every Guide and Brownie Branch, from every pulpit, and on every platform throughout the land it is 'Keep your promises—fulfill your duties.'"

Rev. Brazil reminded his listeners of another situation in life which all Girl Guides and Brownies must face and that is the experience of temptation. Can we stand up to it when it enters our lives?

In conclusion Rev. Brazil admonished the Brownies and Guides to stand up to life. Let God's spirit enter into you and you will be more than conquerors through Him who loved you and gave Himself for you.

- Coming Events -

AUCTION SALE OF FARM STOCK
Implements, Etc., on the premises of Michael Ryan, Lot 31, Con. 3, Township of Sidney, on Wednesday, June 7th, 1944, at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms: Cash. Norman Montgomery, Auct.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD
Effects, at the residence of Mrs. Charlie Mitchell, Mill Street, Stirling, on Saturday, May 27th, at 2 o'clock. Geo. Arnott, Auctioneer. 38-2tp.

DANCE — STIRLING COMMUNITY
Hall, Tuesday, May 30th, under the auspices of Women's Institute. Austin's Orchestra. Admission \$1.00 couple, including lunch. 39-1t

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SOME ACTION NEEDED

The dog question is Stirling is again to the fore. Complaints are being heard on every hand of the damage being done to flower beds and gardens by wandering canines and it is evident to all that in fairness to those of our citizens who find recreation and enjoyment in gardening that some action to abate the dog nuisance is long overdue. In most towns a by-law goes into effect from May to August forbidding dog owners to let their pets run at large, and it seems to give general satisfaction. In Stirling members of succeeding councils in past years have refrained from taking any such definite action but have appealed for fair play on the part of the dog owners. No doubt this appeal has helped but in our opinion too many dog owners have chosen to ignore it entirely.

It's a strange thing that so many people are prone to ignore the rights of their neighbours in this respect. Dog owners shouldn't forget that flower lovers are entitled to consideration as well as themselves. From advertisements appearing in the weekly papers coming to our desk it is apparent that the general practice in other towns, is to prosecute people who allow their dogs to run at large during the summer months, and it would appear to be the only way to put an end to this nuisance.

— V —

VALUE OF SALVAGE

Housewives all across the Dominion are contributing to the war effort in a very real way. In fact they are the front line forces in the army of salvage workers, for the home is the source of vast quantities of waste paper, rags, fats, bones, rubber tires, rubber tubes and a host of other materials that are filling an urgent war need.

Today, a great nation-wide drive for the salvage of waste paper is under way, for the paper shortage is more acute now than at any time since the war began. In this drive many thousands of school children are taking part. Every scrap can be used. Waste paper, especially brown paper, is now more urgently needed because of the scarcity of pulpwood together with the increased demands by the armed forces of Canada and other United Nations.

Wartime ingenuity has developed hundreds of uses for this salvage, such as in the manufacture of containers for shells, plastics, medical kits, emergency rations, grenades, gas masks, air force emergency packs, bomb fins and rings. Paper containers for dehydrated foodstuffs are being used in large quantities in addition to millions of paper board containers being sent overseas.

Some 1,750 voluntary salvage committees operating throughout Canada gathered and marketed more than 441,789,000 pounds of salvage materials during the 31 months from May 1941, to November 1943, according to the Department of National War Services. This is a tremendous saving to the country and when viewed in the light of new materials saved it is all the more impressive.

Worked out in the form of an average per thousand of the population, the province of Manitoba led the Dominion with 61,884 pounds, followed closely by Ontario with 61,503. British Columbia had 36,175 pounds, Alberta, 31,368, Prince Edward Island, 28,407, New Brunswick, 21,270, Quebec, 20,986, Saskatchewan, 20,305 and Nova Scotia, 17,724 pounds.

— V —

WHAT DOES JUNE DO TO PEOPLE?

What does June do to people? You say that June is the month of roses, of blossoms and vigorous growing things. Why, June is the month of brides, and happy weddings prophetic of much joy to come.

On the other hand, is it not true that mothers weep at weddings? There's a reason. June, with its weddings, can do much for people or it can do much to people. But why blame June, after all? The same thing that will leave this June with a good record, so far as the marital unions it witnesses are concerned, will make human relations happier everywhere.

June will bring the most joy to those who, during this month, start out on life's uneven road together, provided that each realizes that the other is not an angel and remembers to practice forbearance, charity, gentleness, and humility. When these are the rules of the household, is not the road prepared for that "peace which passeth understanding", for joys which the world cannot give, for pleasures which the world can never, Never take away!

With the thought of those who have or will start out hand in hand together this June and the thought of those who are still on the journey from starting in other years, let us appropriate the saying commonly used at another season and pray with Tiny Tim, "God bless us, everyone!"

COURTESY IN DANGER

Advertising and retail organizations are warning their members that a "record wave of discourtesy and impoliteness" has swept through business since the war began.

Naturally their reaction is that when the war is over the public will remember rude and unobliging sales clerks and business men and take their patronage elsewhere as soon as the supply of goods is sufficient to allow the individual customer to choose the firm with which he will deal.

Just the same there is apt to be a spread of discourtesy. The habit is easy to fall into, and these days it sometimes takes deliberate effort to be pleasant under all circumstances. There is hardly anyone today who does not carry some personal worry or sadness. What should be a bond of common humanity is made an excuse for irritation.

The war, now in its fifth year and on the verge of a climatic turn can be held responsible to a large degree for lessened tolerance and nerves at high tension. True, everyone who has a service to provide, whether in stores, transportation, deliveries or utilities has to work against quotas, ration coupons, greater demand and less adequate help.

On the consumer side of the picture there is less time to devote to shopping, paying bills, and being generally agreeable at the same time, because shortages affect the consumer as well, and many of them are doing war work in what leisure time is left.

But knowing the cause is half the cure. The tendency to be short-tempered, unappreciative and easily irritated is one of the insidious effects of war. We can't afford to let the enemy make psychological inroads in Canada, when we stand ready with all we have to win a material victory in Europe.—Gananque Reporter.

— V —

Did you ever think what kind of a town your town would be, if you did everything the other fellow expected of you?

— V —

Since the opening of the trout season several of our citizens have hied themselves to well-known lakes and streams in northern Hastings for an outing. Only average catches are being recorded.

— V —

The Windsor Star: "Now we know why those National Registration cards were issued in 1940. So that Doukhobors could be pinched for not carrying them when they take off their pants." At long last an answer to a frequent question about a useless piece of regimentation.

— V —

It's not new but it's still good: "If a doctor makes a mistake he buries it; if a lawyer makes a mistake he collects more fees for the appeal; if a judge makes a mistake it becomes a precedent; if a clergyman makes a mistake he doesn't find out till he is in the next world."

— V —

This week—May 22 to 27—has been set aside by the Wartime Trade and Price Board as a time to salute the Canadian Housewife in tribute to her fight against inflation. Her wartime task has not been an easy one, yet she has done it well.

— V —

Enforcement officers of the Oil Controller's Office are confiscating many gasoline ration coupon books in Ontario municipalities because the holders have neglected to write their license number on the coupons. Motorists will do well to heed this warning and comply with the provisions laid down by the Oil Controller.

— V —

Newspaperman are blamed for a lot of things they can't help—such as partiality in folks, leaving others out, etc. The newspaperman cannot help this. He simply prints the news he can find. Some people inform him about things and others do not. Newspaperman are always glad to learn the news.

— V —

The fishing and boating season is just nicely getting under way, but already several drownings have been reported in the district. Persons cannot be too careful when on the waters of the lakes and rivers. By following a few simple rules of safety much can be done to decrease the annual toll of lives taken by lakes and rivers each summer.

— V —

A timely warning to boys leaving school to accept jobs in industry was issued recently by a Toronto Collegiate principal, when he said, "After the war when employment returns to normal hundreds of students will regret having left school to take attractively paid wartime jobs before their training was completed."

— V —

Discussing the Saturday night parking situation in our village, one prominent merchant stated he had noticed some car owners parking their cars in such a manner as to occupy enough space for two cars. So Mr. Motorist when parking your car don't leave any more space than needed between your car and the one next in line and give your fellow motorist a chance.

What Others Say

MUST USE DISCRIMINATION

The public are warned that the sulfa drug is not something which can be taken like headache tablets. There have been 20 fatalities due to sulfa drug poisoning in Ontario during the past eight months, however it works miracles when used under proper direction by a physician.—Pembroke Bulletin.

FARMERS WARNED

The Canadian Federation of Agriculture warns farmers everywhere against high pressure salesmen who allege to have gilt-edged stocks and bonds to sell, a number of these co-operative in setup, as bait. Closest scrutinizing is advised, and that's good advice. Rather is it better to put Victory first and buy your share of bonds and help to bring our lads and lassies home sooner.—Collingwood Enterprise-Bulletin.

"Eternity is so vast—who can comprehend it?" said the speaker.

"Perhaps," said the little man in the back row, "you never bought anything on the monthly payment plan."



by Jean Wilson

No Change

Notwithstanding all rumours or stories to the contrary, yet there is no specific indication along Parliament Hill that there is any change in the Government's air policy which provides for the separation of all land transportation enterprises from air undertakings within a year after the end of this war.

Housing Schemes

The Government in Ottawa has been studying closely for a considerable time the whole serious housing problem across Canada and now a report has revealed that one official spokesman for the Government has hinted broadly that "the Government feels that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board has gone to the limit in imposing restrictions on the ordinary rights of an owner to obtain possession of his property." However, at the same time it has become known now in the nation's capital that the Government has been giving most careful consideration to low cost housing schemes, and that the Government has been giving most careful consideration to low cost housing schemes and that the Government will propose measures for providing houses or homes for dependents of persons in Canada's armed forces, if these people could not possibly obtain proper accommodation.

Troublesome Tax Forms

In line with similar efforts in other countries, it is reported in Ottawa that an examination is being made of the situation in regard to tax forms in order to simplify as much as possible the present income tax forms in Canada since it is no secret that these forms are still causing considerable vexation to a great many Canadians in all walks of life, though there is insistence in some quarters that the numerous questions asked in these forms are absolutely essential in the best interests of the average taxpayer.

Most Important Tasks

It has been admitted in Parliament by the Minister of Labor, Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, that there may be temporary unemployment in some localities in the near future, but the general manpower shortage in Canada would continue this year. He also stated that the most important tasks of National Selective Service during the next few months will be, in their order of importance, to provide men for the armed services, to supply agriculture with labor, to place discharged men in jobs to meet urgent needs for labor in key industries, and to place as quickly as possible men and women laid off in war plants.

Educational Services for the Forces

The Minister of National War Services, Hon. Major L. R. LaFlèche, has disclosed in Parliament what the educational facilities, started by the Canadian Legion in 1939, for the armed services have aimed to do and what these services have accomplished. These services endeavored to assist personnel in becoming more efficient fighters, to continue interrupted or deferred studies, and to prepare these persons for civil reestablishment. He stressed that there were difficulties in accomplishing these objectives but that these obstacles were overcome gradually, mentioning in

particular the co-operation received from provincial Departments of Education, Extension Departments of the universities, Canada and Newfoundland Educational Association, and other educational bodies. Then again, amongst other things, he reported that the total registration for correspondence courses was 120,361 on March 31 of this year, that 7,070 classes with an enrolment of 196,849 men and women were conducted, that over 270,000 text books were supplied, and that guidance manuals on about fifty quaint vocations were being issued.

Strict Regulations

In view of the numerous stories circulating since the recent arrival of a small group of refugees and about Canada's attitude in general on the question of such refugees, it must be reported that such individuals, or groups have only been admitted into this country only after a thorough investigation on each case so that these persons must be able to satisfy all Canadian provisions, including a guarantee that they can be transported to Canada, that they will not become public charges, that they are in proper health, and that they have complied with all other legal requirements. In other words, these refugees can only enter under certain specific conditions and there is no more "open door" policy, with an assurance having been given only a short time ago in Ottawa that a full statement on refugees will be forthcoming shortly in this session. This is interesting because it is known that there are several thousand refugees in Spain and Portugal alone who are seeking a haven, with Canada having a representative in Lisbon, and quite a number of refugees in other countries are looking for a country where they can enter, especially in Turkey and Sweden.

Wheat in Storage and Transit

A report has been given in Parliament by the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Hon. James MacKinnon, that wheat in storage and transit in Canada on February 29th of this year had amounted to 264,620,636 bushels

and this had been estimated to be worth \$35,155,387.

Lower Valuation

The man-in-the-street will be interested to learn that it has been disclosed in the nation's capital that, for the first time since this World War II started in 1939, the valuation of this country's annual mineral output or production for the past year was down from \$566,768,672 to \$523,940,810, with among other things lower values in the metal and fuel groups contributing heavily to this important decrease, though the general reduction occurred in the production of gold.

Important Resignation

Following extremely active and responsible tasks in this war as the Chairman of the Canadian Section of the Joint United States Canadian Defence Board and as the Director of Censorship, Col. C. M. Biggar, K.C., has been forced to resign on account of poor health which, it has been claimed in Ottawa, was brought on by the hard work of his capable and efficient official.

Unemployment Claims Increasing

It is significant for the man-in-the-street that the latest information which has been given out in the nation's capital has revealed that there was a continuation of the increase in the drain on the unemployment insurance fund in the second month of this year, with the claims for benefits in February, 1944, having reached a new lofty mark of 12,284 as against 11,751 in January, 1944, so as compared with only 4,822 and 4,637 claims for benefits in January and February of 1943. Moreover, the latest information has also shown that contributions of \$149,413,103 from employers and employees, together with \$29,882,621 and interest, from the time that compulsory insurance was created in July, 1941, have raised this unemployment insurance fund to a total of \$182,613,627 at the end of the said month of February and a total of \$1,711,443 has been paid in benefits since this has been possible, that is from February, 1942.



Canada Needs 20,000 TONS OF WASTE PAPER EVERY MONTH

There's ROOM FOR EVERYBODY...

PRODUCTION MEN—keeping in constant touch with sources of raw materials, suppliers of parts, government and military authorities.

THE ARMED FORCES—with responsibility for training and supply, for troop movements, for operations on land, air and ocean battlefronts.

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YOU—depending on your telephone for quick, essential communication at work and at home.

But telephone lines can carry this wartime load only if we all use existing facilities sparingly, and keep our calls as short and business-like as we can.

Additional equipment is severely limited by material shortages; co-operation must take the place of construction if essential calls are to go through promptly.

On Active Service Giving Wings to Words



NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

MORE AND BETTER BACON

Not only will the numbers of hogs slaughtered in inspected plants in Canada in 1944 be by far the greatest on record, as a result of the hog premium policy early in 1944, but there will be a substantial increase in the percentage qualifying for the two premier grades, states the Current Review of Agricultural Conditions in Canada.

FARM MACHINERY

Rationing of farm machinery is still necessary, because of shortages of materials and component parts. Farmers are helping to ease the situation by making every effort to keep their present equipment in operation through greater use of repair parts. Production of these repair parts has been increased to 156 per cent of normal output, and they are not rationed, states the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

USE OIL EMULSION FOR ONION MAGGOT

Onion maggot flies usually emerge about the middle of May and commence laying their eggs in the soil at the base of the onion seedlings around the end of the month. Control measures should be taken at once by using an oil emulsion spray. A light to medium lubricating oil of good grade may be bought at service stations or oil companies. To prepare the spray, mix a gallon of Bordeaux mixture by first dissolving 2 ounces of bluestone in a gallon of water, and then adding 2 ounces of hydrated lime to the solution. Stir and pour it into a pail containing a gallon of the oil. By means of a bucket pump or other small sprayer, pump the liquid

back on itself until a perfect emulsion of the oil and the Bordeaux is obtained.

This operation should take about five minutes. The emulsion may be tested by pouring a small quantity into water. When no droplets of oil are found on the surface of the water, the emulsion is ready to use. Should free oil be present, agitate the emulsion further. When the oil is thoroughly emulsified, mix the two gallons with 38 gallons of soft water, or, if the water is hard, with 38 gallons of Bordeaux mixture.

The onions should be sprayed four times, the first spray being applied as soon as the earliest apple blossoms appear. Subsequent sprays should be applied at weekly intervals. In spraying, the whole surface of the ground should be covered as well as the tiny plants. Thorough work is essential to good control. One hundred gallons of the spray should be used per acre at each application.

CABBAGE MAGGOT CAN BE CONTROLLED

The adults of the cabbage maggot are two-winged flies which lay their eggs on the stems of cabbages, cauliflowers, turnips, radishes, and such like plants in the spring. The maggots may do much damage to these plants but they may be controlled by the use of corrosive sublimate, a product which may be bought at most seed houses and all drug stores. When it is used it is diluted at the rate of one ounce to ten gallons of water. As corrosive sublimate loses much of its strength when brought into contact with metals, it should be mixed in and applied from glass, earthenware, or wooden vessels. This point, states Alan C. Duxon, Division of Entomology, Dominion Department of Agriculture, is very important.

Two or three days after the cabbage and cauliflower transplants have been set out in the field, the solution should be poured over the stem and around the base of each plant, using about half a cupful per plant. Care should be taken to wet the stems thoroughly, as well as the soil immediately surrounding the base. Two subsequent applications should be made, the second 7 days after the first, and the third 7 days later, making three treatments in all. It is important that the first application should be made early, because the success of control depends largely on that point.

In the case of radishes, the solution should be poured over the young plants about three days after they appear above ground, and a second application made a week later. The radishes should not be treated when they are nearly ready for use, because there will be danger to the consumer. Corrosive sublimate is a deadly poison to human being and animals and great care should be exercised when dealing with it.

AGRICULTURE PRICE SUPPORTS, BONUSES

Following are price supports and bonuses now in effect for some of the principal agricultural products:—

Wheat—\$1.25 bushel for No. 1 Northern basis, in store Fort William, Port Arthur or Vancouver, effective for remainder of 1943-44 crop year and throughout 1944-45 crop year. Participation certificates are issued in addition.

Oats—Ceiling price of 51 1-2 cents for oats, basis No. 2 C.W. in store at Fort William or Port Arthur, but since September 17, 1943, Western farmers selling oats receive additional payment of 10 cents per bushel as a guaranteed initial advance against export equalization fees. The minimum or floor price for oats, basis No. 2 C.W. at the head of the Great Lakes, is 45 cents per bushel.

Barley—The ceiling price for barley, basis No. 2 C.W. 6 row barley is 64 3-4 cents at Fort William or Port Arthur. In addition, since August 1, 1943, Western farmers are entitled to an additional advance equalization payment of 15 cents per bushel, plus any special diversion or selection premiums. The floor price of barley is 60 cents per bushel.

Flaxseed—The Dominion Government has guaranteed a price of \$2.75 per bushel for No. 1 C.W. flaxseed in store Fort William or Port Arthur or for No. 1 C.E. flaxseed in store Montreal from the 1944 crop. This is 50 cents more than the guaranteed price for the 1943 crop.

Sunflower Seed—The fixed price for Sunflower Seed from the 1944 crop

News of The Surrounding District

HAVELOCK SOLDIER AWARDED MILITARY MEDAL

Cpl. Robert G. Cartwright of Havelock, who is convalescing from shrapnel wounds in an Italian hospital has been awarded the Military Medal. It was announced Friday.

GROCERY SALE

Walter Whytock of Madoc has sold the grocery and meat shop which was opened by his father in 1871. He and his son Norman Whytock will continue in the flour and feed business.

NEW BAILIFF AT BRIGHTON

The appointment of William Curtis Adams as bailiff of the eighth Division Court at Brighton is announced.

Harness Horses Up Brighton Way Promise Much Fun at Fairs

The report reaching this desk is that four or five of the sports-minded folk of the Brighton district have gone out and got themselves some pacers and trotters and will be taking part in the fairs which begin with Wooler on Wednesday, September 13. Brighton has a fairly good track—Trenton Courier-Advocate.

AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE

Cars driven by George Cassidy, of Springbrook and James Edward Bate-man, also of Springbrook, collided on the 10th Line Road of Rawdon about two miles east of No. 14 Rawdon about two miles east of No. 14 Highway on Friday, considerable damage being done to both cars. The drivers, who were alone, escaped injury. Constable W. D. Lavender, of Marmora, investigated and it is understood charges will be laid.

is 5 cents per lb. f.o.b. designated shipping point.

Canning Crops—The Agricultural Food Board has announced that subsidies on vegetable canning crops grown in 1944 will be paid as follows: tomatoes, \$6 per ton; corn, \$4 per ton; peas, \$10 per ton shelled weight, or \$2 per ton straw weight; green and wax beans, \$7.50 per ton. Canners will continue to pay at least the same base prices they paid in 1941, the last season when no growers' subsidies applied.



A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially for the weekly newspapers of Canada

Throughout Canada a campaign is in progress which, in its seemingly insignificant way is related to the bigger things in this war and so merits a spot in this column. Paperboard containers are vital to the needs of our forces overseas. And that's why the National Waste Paper Drive is on.

At one time it was difficult to ship waste paper except in carload lots and this made paper salvage difficult in small communities. New arrangements have now been made, however, and 300 pounds lots and over are being handled. Provincial Salvage Supervisors can supply information concerning shipments.

Just think what the paper containers from your waste paper do in the war—provide protection for medical kits, blood plasma, emergency rations, gas masks, paper parachutes to convey food to earth for isolated units; containers for naphtha and benzene; electrical conduits, for dehydrated foods which save some 85 per cent of cargo space, for bombs, airplane propellers, just to mention a few. The shortage of paper, which maybe doesn't mean much lying around cluttering up your basement, might conceivably jeopardize the war effort. Mills are operating from hand to mouth, as it were, requiring 20,000 tons of waste paper a month. This appeal has all the elements of essentiality, of urgency—so won't you cooperate with your local salvage committee, when that appeal is made through your local paper or over the radio. Your own son "over there" is mighty interested.

The Canadian government will spend \$1,162,000 this year through the

TWEED HAS KINSMEN CLUB

Gerald A. Quinn was elected President of the newly-organized Tweed Kinsmen's Club at the first meeting held in the Council Chambers on Monday night. Other officers are: Vice, Pres., Carman C. Atton; Secy., E. Miller Johns; Treas., Ray Boyd; Directors: K. A. McNeill, Frank Foster; Program and Entertainment Committee: S. R. Curry, M. R. Rose and Dr. F. J. McCue. Other committees will be named at a later date.

DROPS DEAD AT HOME

Walter Blake, 52, boss spinner at the Campbellford Cloth Company plant, dropped dead at his home there Saturday. He had just finished his breakfast.

DROWNS WHILE FISHING

James Bell, Campbellford, drowned Sunday when he slipped from a rock while fishing offshore in the Trent R. The body was recovered after dragging operations had been carried out for six hours.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Cecil Skeene, of Walkerton, and two sons, Jack, now serving with the Canadian Navy, and James, who was with his father at the time of the accident.

SET JUNE 8th AS KING'S BIRTHDAY

A proclamation is being issued fixing Thursday, June 8th, for the celebration of the King's birthday in Canada, although war conditions prevent proclamation of a public holiday. King George was born on Dec. 14, 1895, but his birthday is celebrated in June because summer is considered more appropriate.

Canadian Legion Educational Services for courses for the men of the armed forces and our prisoners of war. Up to the end of last December, \$1,904,698 had already been spent to finance some 67 courses for servicemen. The idea is to help them carry on interrupted or deferred studies preparing them for re-establishment after the war. Classes are being carried on in Sicily and Italy and it is interesting to know that with textbooks furnished by the International Red Cross through the Legion, of the 4698 men in one German prison camp, some

These days, when tea must yield the utmost in flavour, quality is of supreme importance. Ask for..

"SALADA" TEA

2373 attended these classes.

From May 22 to May 27 eyes of the nation will be focused on Mrs. Consumer. Women's Institute, church and club groups from coast to coast, will observe the week with special programs featuring the part Canadian women are playing in carrying out the government's economic stabilization program. Every woman, whether in the rural or urban centres will be asked to stand firm against any increase in the cost of living. A country woman tending her house and garden, milking the cows and looking after the chickens is responsible in no small measure. After all, there are approximately 732,715 farmer's wives in Canada. These women, through the way they run things in their own homes and on their farms, whether by saving money to help make their land free from debt, or by putting their surplus cash into Victory Bonds and Certificates, by managing to get along on their rations and not buying more higher than ceiling prices; by helping to pay farm taxes promptly, are able to make an effective contribution not only to the security of their own homes, but also to the stability of their own Canada. That's just logical.

The United Kingdom is taking pretty much the same amount of cheese from Canada this coming twelve months, as in the past twelve. An agreement went into effect last week by which we will be shipping 125,000,000 pounds of cheese at a price of 20 cents a pound at the cheese factories.

Victory gardens are big stuff in Canada and an important part of our wartime economy, make no mistake about that. A survey was planned, tabulated and analyzed by the economics division of the Department of Agriculture with assistance and co-operation of the Women's Voluntary Centres of the National War Services

Department, and it really is interesting. A total of 115 million pounds, of 37,500 tons, of vegetables were grown last year in 209,200 wartime gardens in Canadian cities and towns of a thousand or more population, and that doesn't include the many thousands of war gardens in villages and on farms. They estimate the production per garden was about 550 pounds. One urban householder in every seven had a wartime garden in 1943, which is 15 per cent up on 1942 and 24 per cent above 1940. Approximately 37 per cent of the stuff grown were potatoes. 14 per cent tomatoes; 10 per cent carrots, 6 per cent beets, 4 per cent cabbages, etc. The survey showed that of the 37,311 gardeners in seven cities 53 per cent canned, dried, pickled or conserved products for winter use.

This year will show some increase in the number of prisoners of war permitted to work on farms. A camp for between two and three hundred is to be established at Chatham, Ont., for work on sugar beet farms, as is one in the Lethbridge Alberta area. Some prisoners of war are placed on individual farms, around 65 are in the Metcalfe, Ontario area, and a 100 at Brooks, Alberta.

Canadian Japanese, of which about 75 per cent are Canadian born, totaling about 5,000, from the coastal areas of British Columbia are working in Manitoba, Alberta, Ontario and B.C.

Canada's new embassy building in Chungking, China, a simple two story structure is now in use. In the former place, people engaged in Embassy business had to toil down half-a-mile of steps, cross a river by sampan, and then up a similar number of steps at the other side in order to reach the business section of the city.

News-Argus Advt. Pay

He:
Come live with me and
be my love
And we will all the
pleasures prove
That valleys, groves and
hills and fields,
Woods or steeply moun-
tains yield.
— Marlowe

Wedding Stationery

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The News-Argus STIRLING

She:

If all the world and love
were young
And truth in every lov-
er's tongue,
These pretty pleasures
might we yield
To live with thee and
be thy love.
— Walter Raleigh

INSURANCE ..

... goes to war
Your life insurance policy goes to war every day.

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The Road Ahead...

Canadian Agriculture, giving as it has such abundant evidence in these days of prodigious war needs, of its ability to furnish ever-increasing quotas, is yet going to be faced with greater production programmes in the days following the liberation of the occupied territories of war-torn Europe. There is perhaps no other single factor that has so greatly assisted the Canadian farmer to accomplish such record achievements as that of modern machinery. United with the farmer, in the job of continuously improving and increasing the

efficiency of his methods of production, is the Implement Engineer.

Massey-Harris, always a leader in the introduction of time and labor saving equipment, has made another notable advance with its self-propelled combine which has revolutionized harvesting methods.

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Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

Sunday, May 28th, 1944
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m.—West Huntingdon.
Communion Service



Rawdon Circuit

Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., S.O.

Minister

Sunday, May 28th, 1944
11.30 a.m.—Bethel.
3.00 p.m.—Mt. Pleasant.
8.00 p.m.—Wellmans.



St. Paul's United Church

Rev. David Gray, Minister in Charge

Sunday, May 28th, 1944

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
"Out of the Depths."
2.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Carmel, Public Worship.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

Honour Roll Unveiled—Captain Clifford Holmes Gave the Message

Mount Pleasant United Church was well-filled on Sunday morning, May 21st, when a large congregation gathered for the special service in honour of those who are wearing the King's

uniform.

The Honour Roll has been designed by one of Canada's prominent artists, A. J. Casson, R.C.A. It symbolizes in authentic heraldic form, the historic majesty of the British Empire and the might of the Empire's Fighting Services. The central design motif is based on the 'Canadian Coat of Arms' with flanking shields reproducing the

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, May 28th, 1944

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.
8.00 p.m.—Gospel Service

Thursday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting

Maple Leaf of Canada, the Shamrock of Ireland, The Thistle of Scotland, the Rose of England and the Fleur-de-lis of French Canada. Shown in the design of the base are the heraldic flags of the Navy, Army and Air Force.

The pastor Rev. T. F. Townsend, inscribed the names on the roll and he read them previous to the unveiling: They were as follows,—1939—Clifford Holmes; 1940—George Stewart, Clifford Smith; 1941—Kenneth Smith, Douglas McAdam, Kenneth Holmes, Irwin Potts, Percy White, Lawrence Williams; 1942—Ormel MacMullen, Lorne White, William McAdam, Ray White; 1943—Sidner Demorest, Marion Phillips.

The fifteen names represents eight homes in the community.

The unveiling of the Honour Roll and the special message was brought by Captain Clifford Holmes, of Kingston. Clifford was the first of our boys to sign up and he went overseas in December, 1939. Since returning to Canada he and his family are residing in Kingston and it was most fitting for the occasion to have Clifford as special guest speaker.

He first thanked the Mt. Pleasant congregation on behalf of himself and the others in uniform who were not able to be in attendance, for all the gifts they had received from time to time.

He paid tribute to the mothers and close friends who carried on at home. Very ably Clifford brought out several points dealing with war. Using as a basis that splendid magazine, "What it Takes", he quoted several paragraphs which included an appraisal of the world situation, "What Are We Fighting For?—Victory and Peace, Kingdom of God—Freedom—Morality, and a Christianized Nation.

Churchill tells us that "I have a feeling that we have a guardian because we serve a great cause," and the boys "over there" very often write home with perfect frankness that God has revealed to them that it is a just cause. When the war is over may we all join with Abraham Lincoln in his memorable words, "to cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations." Clifford closed his address with another word of thanks for moral support on behalf of the fifteen names inscribed and then he lifted the Union Jack and the Honour Roll was revealed in all its beauty.

The large choir rendered an anthem and Mrs. Percy Hubble contributed a vocal solo during the service. Baskets of spring flowers and potted plants were placed in the church for this special occasion by Mrs. Will Potts, Mrs. Ernest White, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. John Holmes, Mrs. Sidner Demorest and Mrs. Percy MacMullen. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp, of Hoads; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stapley and family, Oak Hills, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers; Miss Fern Hubble, Batawa and two friends, who visited the former's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Clifford Holmes, Kingston, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes; Mr. Albert Cook, Harold, guests of Mr. Don Campbell; Miss Pauline Townsend, Belleville.

Pte Lorne White, of Fort Colouagne, Quebec, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and friends at Parry Sound. Mrs. Gilbert Smith has returned to her home at Anson for the summer months. She spent the winter with Rev. and Mrs. Elsie Joblin, Muncy; Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Smith, Peterborough and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, Hoads.

Several of the men-folk journeyed to the Island on Monday with their young cattle.

Jack Frost paid this district a visit on May 17th and 18th and froze thin ice in water troughs also damaged plants and shrubs, and growing crops to some extent.

Young People's Union
Approximately thirty-five persons attended Young People Union at the hall last week. Mrs. Kenneth Weaver opened and based her worship period on patriotism, using a poem, "Live and Let Live."

Miss Lois Weaver presided at the piano and Miss Muriel Sine read the Bible Lesson. The president, Miss Muriel Weibourn took charge of the

business and read letters of thanks from Marion Phillips and Kenneth Holmes for gifts received. The yearly membership fee was gathered by Bert Sharp and Robert Iboard and amounted to over three dollars.

Twenty-five dollars was voted to Star Fresh Air Fund. The closing meeting will be held next week in the form of a welter roast.

Y.P.U. will begin its fall term on Tuesday, October 17th, with the four conveners, Fern Weaver, Irene Potts, Eileen Demorest and Marion Sharp in charge.

Master Gordon Reid contributed a piano solo.

Mrs. Bert Jeffs read a selection on "Canada." Miss Joyce Johnson sang a vocal selection with guitar accompaniment. Mrs. John Holmes ably outlined the topic, "What kind of a post-war world do we want?—Some of the points were that our boys need a chance to make a decent living—That the four Freedoms are necessary, we must bear in mind that individualism will count, and if righteousness comes first then peace will follow. Above all things we will need God in a post-war world. The pastor conducted a series of interesting games and all enjoyed a social half-hour.

Mrs. George Holmes, Trenton, Capt. and Mrs. Kenneth Holmes and children, Madoc, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sharp visited George McMullen and family, Oak Hills, on Sunday.

MADOC JUNCTION

The Sunday School monthly meeting was held last Friday evening at the home of Miss Ella Wannamaker.

The programme prepared by the Supt. was presided over by Asst. Supt. Mr. Bert Reid.

Miss Rosella Fitchett was organist, the singing of hymn 259, 352, opened the meeting. Mr. K. Stewart led in prayer. Scripture Lesson: Galatians, 6th chap. was read by Mrs. C. Fitchett. An article, "The Incomparable Christ was given by Miss Helen McMullen. "Jesus the same yesterday, today and forever", by Miss Mary Chambers. Hymn 133 was sung and supplies ordered for the next quarter. Mrs. C. Lansing guest speaker for the evening, spoke on the importance of S.S. work and based her remarks on psalm 23rd. A prayer for boys in service, previous to invasion was read by Mrs. Harlow, also a poem, "A Boy of God's Brigade. Mr. Stewart gave a paper, "Sonship and Discipleship". Gladys Clarke, conducted an interesting bird contest. Hymn 381. Lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

Rev. C. W. Barret, of Brighton, former minister of St. Paul's, Stirling, will be the guest speaker here next Sunday in regard to O. T. F. at 2.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson, of Belleville, spent the tea hour on Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hough and Ronald, of Mt. View, Mr. and Mrs. Don Haggerty and children, of West Huntingdon, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Eggleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Stapley and family, attended Mt. Pleasant church service on Sunday morning and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harlow, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thompson, Bethel.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker were Mr. and Mrs. H. Green and Barbara, of Peterboro, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Green, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fitchett and Rosella, spent Sunday in Tweed guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid and children, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore, of Remington.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart spent the tea hour on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker.

BONARLAW

Pte. Morley Stocker of The Veterans Guard, Timmins, Ont., visited his family here for several days last week.

Lieut. Russell Heath of Royal Canadian Signallers, Kingston, was the guest of his brother, Carl Heath, on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Fred Comford, of Eldorado, is visiting Mrs. Adella McCorn and other friends in this vicinity.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Eastwoods, on Sunday last were Miss Mildred Brown, Miss Marjorie Byers, Frank McAvoy and Glynn Eastwood, of Whitby.

Mr. Geo. Eastwood is spending a few days in Toronto.

W. J. Barlow and Charles Gordon, have been on two fishing excursions during the past week and report splendid success.

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FULLER

The W. I. held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, with Mrs. Borden Redcliffe.

Mrs. Joe Kellar spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daffoe, Madoc.

The Ladies' Aid held a pot-luck dinner and quilting in the dining hall on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jennett Utman also Mrs. Wm. Faulkner, of Stirling, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine.

Several neighbouring men helped Mr. Leslie Adams at a bee on Monday.

Miss Emma Chapman, of Thurlow, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. H. Redcliffe.

Mrs. Murney Morland, also Mrs. Arthur Cooney, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Burke and Miss Bessie Hollinger.

Mission Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine, on Thursday evening.

Much excitement was caused when a fire of unknown origin started in the woods belonging to Mr. Ben Brough. About one hundred men gathered on Monday night to extinguish the fire. Considerable damage was caused to the woods and fences. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kellar, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gay.

Mrs. Ben Brough was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Burke and Miss Bessie Hollinger, on Wednesday.

There was no services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, as Rev. J. MacDonald took up duties elsewhere.

Mrs. Harry Redcliffe returned to Belleville Hospital on Saturday to receive treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine and Reggie took dinner with Mrs. Jennett Utman and Mrs. Wm. Faulkner, Stirling, on Sunday, also spent the tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Irvine, Holloway.

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SPRINGBROOK

Mrs. J. R. Holden entertained a number of little folks on Monday afternoon in honor of Dickie's 3rd birthday.

Miss Audrey Mumby and Mrs. Chas. Parr, Florida, are spending a few days with relatives at Beamsville.

Friends of Mrs. Murney Mason will be glad to know that she returned to her home on Sunday after being a patient at Toronto General Hospital for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Bateman, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nickle, at Malone.

Mr. Wm. Heath, Melitta, Manitoba, is visiting friends and relatives in the vicinity.

Miss Barbara Melkiejohn was a week-end guest of Miss Lois Mason.

Springbrook L.O.O.F. held their annual service at St. Mark's church Bonarlaw, on Sunday with a large crowd in attendance. A number of Oddfellows were present from surrounding districts, also the Ladies' Rebekah Lodge of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Johnston accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Granville Melkiejohn, spent the week-end in Kingston and attended the graduation Exercises at Queen's University, on Saturday. Congratulations to Mr. Johnston who received his B. A. degree on that day.

Mrs. Walter Heath is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. Lloyd, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleming, Harold, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Solmes and family, have moved to their new home at the north end of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Mrs. Richie Mason and children, Stirling, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mason and Elda.

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JULY 12th Celebration

L.O.L., No. 437, Queensboro, are holding a County Celebration on Wednesday, July 12th, as a basket picnic, in Albert Wood's Grove, 1 mile north of No. 7 highway, and 2½ miles north east of Madoc. Any lodge wishing to secure a horse please notify Geo. Gordon, Queensboro, as soon as possible. For further particulars see bills. Allan Thompson, Wm. C. Glover, W.M. Rec-Sec.

Court of Revision

An adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision for the Village of Stirling, will be held in the Council Chambers, on Monday, May 29th, 1944, at 7.30 p.m.

Geo. Luery, Clerk.

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Notice to Debtors

In the Estate of Alice M. Fleming, Spinster, deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons owing accounts to the Estate of the late Alice Mae (May) Fleming are hereby required to pay the same or make some satisfactory settlement with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator on or before the 15th day of June, A.D., 1944, after which date such action as is necessary will be taken to compel payment.

DATED at Stirling, Ontario this 17th day of May, A.D. 1944.

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Solicitor for Estella Stevenson, the Administratrix. 38-2t

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of Minnie Agnes Foreman, Deceased.

The creditors of Minnie Agnes Foreman, late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, Widow, deceased, who died on April 13th, 1944, are notified to send to the undersigned Executors or their solicitors their claims against the Estate of the said deceased on or before the 11th day of June next.

Immediately after the said last mentioned date the assets of the said Estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims delivered as are paid.

DATED at Campbellford this 5th day of May, 1944.

Norman William John Gummer, And

Harvey C. Pitcher
by their Solicitor,
N. Alex MacColl,
Campbellford, Ont. 37-3

Court of Revision

TOWNSHIP OF RAWDON

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the Township of Rawdon will be held at Rawdon Town Hall on

MONDAY, MAY 29th, 1944
at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. for the said Municipality for the year 1943. All persons interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Harold, Ontario, May 6th, 1944.

W. J. Barlow,
Clerk of Rawdon 37-3t

Proclamation

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Board of Health of the Village of STIRLING

Hereby gives Notice that all persons resident within the Corporation are called upon forthwith to

CLEAN THEIR PREMISES

of Garbage, Refuse, Filth and Debris or other matter or thing thereon or therein likely to be prejudicial to the health of the residents. All wells in use for household purposes shall be cleaned before the first day of July. Privies shall be emptied and disinfected forthwith. R.S.O. 1937, Chap. 299.

Those using slaughter houses are required to comply with Par. 14, Sec. 122 P.H.A., and see that all the surroundings shall be kept subject to approval of Sanitary Inspector.

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MAY 31st, 1944

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IN MEMORIAM

SARLES—In loving remembrance of Mrs. Sarles, who died May 19th, 1943.

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness to me during my stay in Belleville hospital.

39-1p Glenn Brooks.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Walter Dracup, of Wellman's, wishes to express her sincere appreciation to those who so kindly remembered her with cards, letters, flowers and fruit since her recent accident.

39-1t

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Robert Rodgers would like to take this opportunity of thanking her many relatives and friends for the many lovely gifts, cards and telegrams she received on her birthday.

Births

GOODRICH—At Grasse Point Hospital, Detroit, on April 24th, 1944, to Pte. and Mrs. Clyde O. Goodrich (nee Hilma L. Mathison, of Stirling) a daughter (Cecilia Inez).

CARMEL

On Mother's Day at the church service, Rev. David Gray, held a christening service. George Garnet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Grills, and Keith Ernest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grills, were baptised.

Misses Nina and Marion Carlisle of the Bell Telephone staff, Belleville, are holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hagerman and family, Bethel, spent Mother's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hagerman.

Mrs. Douglas Martin and David, Corbyville, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pyear.

Sgt. Lester Fraser and son, Jim, Hamilton, spent the week-end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Major Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McConkey and Dale, Concession, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.

Mrs. Ross Scott, Belleville, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Reid and family, Tweed, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

CHILDREN BAPTISED

AT MARSH HILL CHURCH

Marsh Hill Church decorated with a profusion of wild flowers, roses and potted plants, was the setting for the usual Mother's Day program, with Mr. Leslie Finkle, Sunday School superintendent leading the program assisted by Rev. E. M. Cooke who gave a brief address. The choir rendered an anthem with Mr. and Mrs. W. Lindenfield taking the duet part.

The highlight of the service was the baptism of six children, Joan Elaine and Allyn Bleeker, children of Mr. Gerald Frederick, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Frederick; Frances Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Farley Lindenfield; Reva Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Radford (nee Irene Coulter) Frankford, Ont.; Carol Ann Weese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orley Weese, (nee Gladys Coulter) Peterboro, Ont.; Bruce Merton Coulter, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Coulter.

SCHOOLS MARK EMPIRE DAY

Empire Day was observed in the schools Tuesday with special programs being given. The Ontario Department of Education of which Premier Drew is minister, sent out an attractive booklet, outlining a fitting program.

The program related the dangers faced and overcome by the Empire, from the days when Britain stood alone, later to be joined by the present Allies.

Patriotic songs, quotations from addresses by Churchill, stirring patriotic poems, interspersed the narrative which recognized the glorious deeds of valor and accomplishment. Each of the services was mentioned and fitting tribute paid. The program closed with a quotation from an address by the King.

In addition to being a program designed to inculcate an appreciation of, and love for, the Empire, it was an historical record that will impress itself upon the children.

Bethel Woman's Association

On Thursday May the 18th the monthly meeting of the Bethel Woman's Association was held in the Parsonage, Stirling. An evening session and with a number of visitors the group numbered over 30. The President opened the worship period, the first number being a piano solo, "Consolation" by Mendelssohn, played by Mrs. Roy Shortt, and followed by the Theme Song. A Bible Lesson was read by Mrs. R. Welbourn from Romans 5:1 to 8. Also a Meditation on Faith as linking with Divinity—The tendency is to think of things seen as more real and practical—but faith is ever triumphant—The challenge was "Watch well thy faith". Prayer was led by the Rev. T. F. Townsend.

The April "Minutes" were received and approved. The June meeting is planned to be held at the home of Mrs. B. C. Tucker in the form of a Pot-Luck Dinner. There will be quilting. Discussed the price of a crib quilt to be done.

The following members were appointed as Delegates to the annual Convention in Belleville, on May 25. Mrs. Ray Shortt, Mrs. K. Hagerman, Mrs. W. Heath, and Mrs. F. Leacock. A lengthy discussion as to possibilities of a social in June ended in the decision to postpone the effort but to have visiting societies in the near future. A piano duet, "Rose Petals" was played by Ruth Welbourn and Mrs. T. F. Townsend. The latter also led in group singing of "Rounds", "Echoes" and the Negro Spiritual, "Lord I Want to be a Christian in My Heart."

Mrs. C. Lloyd gave a reading, "O Why Should The Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?". Mrs. H. Elliott sang "Little Gray Mother", with Robert playing the accompaniment.

Miss Mae Currie, a guest, sang "That Sweet Story of Old". Mrs. Leacock brought a reading of a Negro Minister's sermon on the wearing of the garments of life.

Miss Currie and Mrs. Townsend gave a piano duet, an Overture from Nicolai.

The Misses Vivian and Ruth Welbourn sang the "May Song" and all joined in one verse of "Work for the Night is Coming". Mrs. Leacock supervised a contest on the many varieties of apples.

At the close refreshments were served by Mrs. D. Heath, Mrs. R. Short, Mrs. W. Heath. A luncheon fee of \$5.20 was received.

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Work Center Marks First Anniversary

Since the Mobile clinics of Ontario Division, Canadian Red Cross Society began operations in November 1943, they have been responsible, to date, for 120,553 donations. No small part in establishing this excellent record is played by the devoted volunteer workers who come every day and each evening, in various groups, to prepare the equipment and in other ways take care of the blood donations received from the 145 mobile clinics at work in the province. May 21, at the Ontario Mobile Division Work Center, 855 Bay Street, Toronto, a reception was given in the honor of the workers, more than 150 of whom were present, as well as the mobile nurses and many other interested friends.

Mrs. Arthur W. Ellis, president Ontario Division of Red Cross, Ontario Commissioner Stafford Roberts, chairman of Ontario Blood Donor Committee, Mr. Russell T. Kelley, of Hamilton and senior technician, Mrs. G. R. Fuller received the guests. Refreshments, prepared and served by the Food administration section of the Corps, were dispensed from a table attractive with garden flowers and yellow tapers in massive silver candleholders. Mr. Kelley told the volunteers what a large part their service played in the blood donor project, stated that nowhere else did one find such a spirit of service as in the blood donor clinics of Red Cross, and emphasized the fact that the volunteers

would fully appreciate their own contribution if they met, as he had, the hundreds of returned men whose lives had been saved by blood serum.

Mrs. J. C. Fraser told something of the work of another department of Red Cross, that of the Women's War Work Committee, and explained what Red Cross knitters and sewers made in the way of special articles for servicemen and women. Hon. Leopold Macaulay, president Toronto branch, said no work of Red Cross exceeded in importance that of the preparation of blood serum and that when the history of the war was written, brightest page in it would be the story of lives saved by blood serum.

BUSINESS PERMITS

ARE NOW ELIMINATED

A permit from the Prices Board is no longer required when an existing business changes ownership, acquires additional floor space or moves to other premises. But one is still needed for the formation of a new business not carried on at November 2, 1942, for changes in the class of business conducted at that date and for changes in the classes and kinds of goods or services dealt in at that time. When such permits are granted, the Board will assume no responsibility for providing supplies. It is further pointed out that whenever a new business is commenced or an existing business changes its address, the Board's Director of Licensing at Ottawa must be notified.

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Honor Roll

For Stirling and District

In case there are any omissions we will appreciate being advised of the same, in order that the list may be kept up-to-date.

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*W.A.O. Sgt. Aubrey Rodgers.
*W. A. G. Sgt. Harold F. Taylor
Sgt. Jack Bailey, Stirling.
Sgt. Stewart McGowan, Stirling.
Cpl. Gerald Ward
F/Sgt. Reg. Clarke, Stirling.
W.O. 2 R. G. Scott.
Sgt./O. Jack Wood, Stirling.
L.A.C. Don Ward, Stirling.
F/O Desmond Jackman, Stirling.
Cpl. Oliver Stapley, Stirling.
Ft./Sgt. A.G. Roy Conley, Stirling.
F/O H. Clarke, Stirling.
L.A.C. Colin Fox, Stirling.
Cpl. Jack Scott
Jack Petter
Donald Scott, Stirling.
L.A.O. Donald J. Brown, Hoards.
L.A.C. Roy Hagerman, Stirling.
L.A.C. Douglas McAdam, Stirling.
L.A.C. Russell Woodbeck, Stirling.
L.A.C. Percy White, Stirling.
Don Nix, Wellmans.
Don Hogle, Stirling.
F/O Kenneth Smith
Murray Herrington, Springbrook
Jack Tullough
Russell Pyear, Stirling.
L.A.C. Elwood Haggerty, Stirling.
W/O 1st C. F. H. Barnard, Stirling
Sgt. W.A.G. B. Barnard, Bonarlaw.
L.A.C. Don McKeown, Bonarlaw.
L.A.C. Clinton Lough, Springbrook
Ft. Lieut. Ward Stiles, Stirling.
Ft. Lieut. Clinton McGee, Stirling.
*Sgt. Pilot Stuart Kirby, W. Hunt.
Joe Kirby, W. Huntingdon.
Sgt. R. Cooke, Stirling.
Ross C. Bailey, Harold.
Walter Heasman, Stirling.
L.A.C. Hugh Coyle, Stirling.
William R. McAdam, Stirling.
Cpl. Carl Cooke, Stirling.
Sgt. A. C. Roy Tanner, Stirling.
L.A.C. Fred Donohoe.
L.A.C. Ray Sine, Stirling.
Don Frances, Stirling.
L.A.C. Don Wright, W. Huntingdon.
Seymour Ashley, Stirling.
Ritchie F. Mason, Springbrook.
Jack Eastwood, Bonarlaw.
Reginald Dunham, Wellmans.
A.C. G. Casidy, Springbrook.
L.A.C. Lorne Anderson, Stirling.
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Women's Division, R.C.A.F.

Cpl. Irene Wood, Stirling.
L.A.W. Minnie Linn, Wellman's

R.C.A.

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Gr. Stanley McGowan, Stirling.
Gr. Ted Bud, Stirling.
Gr. Edward Galloway, Springbrook
Chas. Weaver, Stirling.
Cnr. Chas. Faires, Stirling.
Gr. Robert Keegan, Stirling.
John McMechan
Gunner J. W. Symons, Stirling.
Henry Dean, Bonarlaw.
Gnr. Jack Lummis.
Gr. J. C. Bateman, Stirling.
Gr. Geo. S. Wallace
Edw. McDonald, Stirling.
O. Tuepah, Stirling.
J. Nedham, Stirling.
D. Payne, Stirling.
Gr. James Wannamaker.
Gunner Roy Sharp.
Gnr. Geo. Dunkley.
Driver Leslie Clements, Minto
Gr. Donald Taylor, Stirling.
Gnr. J. G. McFarland.
Gr. L. A. Williams, Hoards.
Sgt. James A. Thompson, Stirling.
Gr. D. Richardson, Stirling.
Gr. Marvin Moon, Springbrook.
Pte. Ormel MacMullen, Mt. Pleasant
Gr. Ben Bevis, Harold.
Bdr. Fred Conley, Stirling.
Gnr. Chas. Raymond Rose, Stirling.
Gr. Clayton Heath, Stirling.
Donald Loshaw, Stirling.
*Arden Loshaw, Stirling.
Sgt. Vernon Wannamaker, Stirling.
William McMillen, Holloway.
Stanley Cook, Holloway.
Gr. C. J. Stapley, Stirling.
Gr. Gordon Goulet.
John Rosebush, Stirling.
Gr. James Kirkey, Stirling.
Trooper Ray White, Stirling.
Gordon Cooper, Springbrook.
Gr. Allan Sine, Stirling.

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Capt. A. M. Lavery, Stirling.
Capt. G. A. Melkejohn, Bonarlaw.
R. C. A. P. C.
Sgt. Claire E. West, Stirling.
Capt. Arthur Gould, Stirling.
Roy Juby, Stirling.
R.C.H.A.
Gnr. George Stewart, C.D., Hoards
Gunner Sherman Brady, Harold.
Gunner Irwin Potts, Mt. Pleasant.
Sig. Jas. Barnett, Rylstone.

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Mjr. E. W. Matthews, E.D., Stirling
Capt. C. Holmes, Stirling.
Capt. K. R. Holmes, Stirling.
Sgt.-Major H. McLeaming.
Sgt. J. T. Teupah, Stirling.
Sgt. Clarence A. Wright.
Sgt. Clarence Heath, Stirling.
Cpl. Ross Croakwright, Bonarlaw.
Sgt. Stanley Ray, Springbrook.
Cpl. Carman Osborne.

L.J.C. Frank Wood.

Pte. S. Dainard, Stirling.
Pte. Alvin John Stoneburg, Stirling
Pte. Donald Bibby, Holloway.
Pte. C. R. Dunkley.
Pte. Raymond Scott
Pte. Ned Faires, Stirling.
Pte. Delbert Ashley, Stirling.
Pte. Wm. S. Gray
Pte. Elmer West
Pte. H. Lummis
Pte. J. Ackers
Pte. G. T. Cook, Harold.
Pte. E. E. Curlette, Holloway.
Pte. G. B. E. Faulkner, Holloway.
Pte. R. B. Faulkner, Holloway.
Pte. G. D. Stephens, Holloway.
Pte. J. Telford, West Huntingdon.
Pte. Geo. E. Cotten, Harold.
Pte. W. H. Anderson, Hoards.
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Pte. Wm. Alexander.
Pte. N. McLeod, West Huntingdon.
Pte. John Townsend, Holloway.
Pte. Jas. Akey, Holloway.
Pte. Jack Vilneff.
Sgt. John Loshaw, Stirling.
Fred Dainard, Stirling.
Irvine Woodbeck.
Pte. Leonard Ray, Springbrook.
L/Sgt. Jas. Stapley, Stirling
Pte. Lorne White, Mt. Pleasant.
Pte. Wm. Reynolds, Stirling.
Pte. Ray White, Mt. Pleasant.
*Pte. Edward Kirkey, Stirling.
*Pte. J. T. Andrew, Stirling.
Elwood Cooper, Springbrook.

48th Highlanders

Capt. D. G. Haggerty, Stirling.
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C. W. Barnard.
Jack Hamilton
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Morley Stocker, Bonarlaw.

R. C. SIGNAL CORP

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Sgt. Lester Fraser, Stirling.
Douglas Rombough, Bonarlaw.
Pte. C. H. Dunkley, Stirling.
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Cpl. G. W. Morrison, Bonarlaw.

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Capt. Donald Parker Ross, Stirling.
Spr. Garnet Forsyth, Springbrook.
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Vernon Wannamaker.
Spr. B. Haggerty, W. Huntingdon.
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Sgt. H. R. Skillicorn, Stirling.

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Trooper H. W. Faulkner, Stirling.
Tank Corps
Richard Reid, Springbrook.
Tpr. Jack Haggerty, Stirling.
Tpr. Wm. Heasman, Stirling.
Princess Louise Dragon Guards
Trooper Harry Jones, Stirling.
Trooper Wilfred Scott, Stirling N.
Paratroops
Tpr. Allan Faulkner, Stirling.

C.A.C.T.C.

Tpr. Earl Mumby, Rylstone.
Tpr. Sidmer Demorest, Mt. Pleasant.
Vernon Woodbeck, Stirling.

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Pte. Hubert McNeill, Stirling
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47th ANTI-AIRCRAFT
Pte. Carl Phillips, Stirling.
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Cpl. Cecil J. Scott, Moira.
Cpl. Lorne Kirkey, Stirling.
Pte. Geo. Bateman, Bonarlaw.
Pte. Bernard Stewart, Bonarlaw.
Pte. R. E. Ray, Springbrook.
Pte. Coolidge Ashley, Stirling.
Pte. M. G. Chard.
Pte. Ralph Stapley, Stirling.

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Pte. David Wellman, Bonarlaw.
Wallace Cooke, Stirling.
R.F.M. F. B. Moore, Springbrook.
R.C.O.C.
Capt. H. A. Kerr, Stirling
Pte. Arthur McDonald, Stirling.
Gilbert Finkle, Stirling.
Pte. Oscar Gillespie, Stirling.
Arm't/Sgt. Raymond Heath
Pte. Chester Stapley, Stirling.
Lorne Wilson, Stirling.
Pte. Elwood Wilson.

R. C. Signal Corps

George McLeaming, Stirling
Sig. Fred Murray, Stirling.

R.C.A.M.C.

Jack Walker, Stirling.
Pte. Lawrence Wilson, Stirling.
A. C. A. M. C.
Sgt. P. J. Morrison, Bonarlaw.
Royal Can. Army Service Corps
Frank Parsons
Pte. Jack Bowen, Stirling.
Pte. Ernest Cain.
Morris Woodbeck, Stirling.
Pte. Wm. Thompson, Springbrook.
Pte. Edward Kent, Stirling.
Pte. Carman Dunkley, Hoards.
Douglas May, Stirling.

1st Survey Regt. R.C.A.

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Can. Battle Drill Training Centre
Major Ivan Martin, Stirling.

25th C. A. REGT.

Captain Gerald Haslett, Springbrook

Midland Regiment

Cpl. Roy McGee, Campbellford.

Prince of Wales Rangers

Capt. Lorne Bateman, Springbrook
Bateman, Lieut. H., Springbrook.
Lt. D. C. Mumby, Stirling.

Royal Canadian Navy

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Wm. B. Heath, Stirling.
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Jack Thompson, Springbrook.
Bob Jones, Stirling.
Dr. Marvia Wellman.
Seaman E. E. Faulkner, Stirling.
Jack Farnsworth, Stirling.
Norman Murray, Stirling.
Malcolm Reid, Stirling.
Mac Lummis, Stirling.
Clifford Wannamaker, Stirling.
A/Lt. St. Frank Haggerty, Stirling.
E. Eaton, Stirling.

A.B. Vernon D. Runnalls, Harold.

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Max Armstrong, Stirling.
Russell West, Stirling.
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Reg. Hellwell, Stirling.
Bob Farrell
Clinton Hubble
John R. Prest, Bonarlaw.
Arthur McMullen, Springbrook.
John Fargoy, West Huntingdon
Kenneth J. Baker, Bonarlaw.
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Don H. Morton, Stirling.

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Pte. Marion Phillips, Stirling.

Questions and Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other War time Prices and Trade Board rulings should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ontario:—

Q. Last week I sent my little girl to the store and they refused to take the coupons I had given her for butter. Why was this?

A. It is against the regulations for dealers to accept loose coupons.

Q. How can I get extra corn syrup for my child?

A. There is no special issue of corn syrup for anyone. The child's sugar coupons may be exchanged for D coupons to purchase corn syrup. Also the F coupons for canning sugar may be converted into D coupons at the rate of one D coupon per F coupon.

Q. My son in the Army left me some coupons the last time he was on leave. May I use them?

A. You may use them as long as they have not been detached from the card. Coupons are only valid when attached to the ration card or book.

Q. Is cranberry sauce rationed?

A. No, cranberry sauce has been removed from the rationed list until August 31. It will then be again rationed on the basis of 12 oz. per D coupon.

Q. Are the F coupons for canning sugar valid now?

A. No, the first five F coupons for canning sugar become valid May 25, the second five coupons becoming valid July 6.

Q. As I am unable to do my own preserving this year, is there any way I can get coupons to buy jam and jellies?

A. Yes, you may convert your F coupons for canning sugar into D coupons at the rate of one D coupon per F coupon at your nearest local ration Board. This conversion cannot be made, however, until the F coupons have become valid.

Lt. Cmdr. Wellman Gives Paper

The proportion of men discharged from the Royal Canadian Navy because of mental disorders is "extremely low" as compared with the rate in other services, and 85 per cent of the navy's psychiatric patients recover and are returned to full duty, it was disclosed in a paper presented before the American Psychiatric Association convention at Philadelphia this week by two navy psychiatrists.

The paper was prepared by Surgeon Lt.-Cmdr. M. Wellman, of Stirling and Whiteby, Ont., and his associate Surgeon Lieut. J. F. Simpson, of Toronto. Both officers were psychiatrists for the Ontario Government in peace time.

Cmdr. Wellman said the most frequent cause of psychiatric casualties in the navy was service life itself and the inability of some sailors to "adjust themselves to the emotional demands of living in a group." Sea service, particularly when accompanied by enemy action, was given as the next most frequent factor, with domestic worries third.

Wellman and Simpson reported that only 52 men in every 10,000 are discharged from the R.C.N. because of mental disorders.

From the fact that practically half of those who broke down at sea did so within the first six months, and jumped again after between 15 and 18 months of service, the two psychiatrists drew the conclusion that "personnel should not be left at sea under conditions of active warfare for more than 15 months."

The paper said ratings appeared to be more affected by domestic worries than officers.

The R.C.N. medical branch established a psychiatric service in July, 1941, and during the next 18 months 900 patients passed through the clinic at Halifax.

213 OFFICERS ON THE WAY OUT

Defence Minister Ralston, in a reply in the Commons for D. King Haasen (PC-St. John Albert) said 213 officers of the Canadian Army overseas had been returned to Canada with a recommendation that they be discharged. The recommendations had been acted upon in 71 cases.

Of the total recommended for discharge 12 were lieutenant-colonels, 31 majors, 64 captains and 106 lieutenants.

Recommendations were made in the case of 10 on the grounds of incompetence, 16 for inefficiency, 48 as unsuitable, 47 for lack of leadership, 47 as unreliable, 17 for lacking initiative and 20 as unsatisfactory.

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



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Hello Homemakers! Let's all dig in and grow more in year 1944—provided we can store any surplus. There is still time to work a small plot somewhere, where the soil is good. Measure your row and then sow about one half ounce of seed for fifty feet (or one packet.) This, however, should be considered from the storage methods available, since one packet of seed will produce approximately one to two bushels of greens or such vegetables as carrots and beets, depending upon the type of soil and the weather. Enthusiastic growers should remember that green vegetables have a short season and a second planting in three or four weeks time is a better idea.

From one pound of good seed potatoes you may get seven to eight pounds of potatoes. The average family of four should store 550 pounds of potatoes for the year, if they are able to keep them in a well ventilated room at a temperature of 38 deg.

The good gardener calculates on two to three pounds of tomatoes from each stalked tomato plant. Tomatoes are a valuable product and economical to can.

We mention the above facts to encourage you to keep good records of: length of row, amount of seed in packets, date when seeds planted, date and treatment of plant disease, date of first picking, date of last picking, estimate of production and notes on desirability and quantity. A notebook and pencil are all you require to do the job that should be started now.

RHUBARB HONEY CHIFFON PIE

3 1/2 cups rhubarb cut in 1-2 in. pieces, 1-2 cup corn syrup, 3-4 cup honey, 1 tablespoon granulated gelatine, 1-4 cup cold water, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 2 eggs whites, baked 8-inch pie shell (deep).

Cook rhubarb gently with corn syrup and honey until soft. Add gelatine dissolved in cold water and lemon juice. Cool, and when partially set, add egg whites beaten stiff but not dry. Pour into baked pie shell. Serve garnished with whipped cream.

RHUBARB AND PRUNE RELISH

4 lbs. rhubarb, 2 lbs. prunes, 2 lbs. sugar, 2 lbs. corn syrup.
Cover prunes with water and leave 24 hours. Cut rhubarb in small pieces and sprinkle over it 2 lbs. of corn syrup. Let stand over night. Place prunes, water and rhubarb with the syrup, in kettle. Add to mixture and simmer 1 hour. Add 2 lbs. sugar. Boil gently 1-2 hour longer. Yield: 6-8 eight-ounce glasses.

ALL-IN-ONE-DISH

1 cup uncooked spaghetti, 4 slices breakfast bacon, diced, 1-2 cup chopped onion, 1-2 lb. round steak, ground, 2 tbsps. starch, 1 (10 1-2 oz.) can tomato soup, (condensed), 1 can water (10 1-2 oz.), 3-4 teaspoon salt, 1-16 teaspoon pepper.
Cook spaghetti, till tender in 2

quarts boiling water to which has been added 2 teaspoon salt; drain. Cook bacon; add onion and meat; cook till brown. Add corn starch, blend well. Add soup, water, salt, pepper, and spaghetti. Simmer gently on electric element for 5 minutes. Serve with hot toast.

Take a Tip:

Paint brush conservation: curled brush ends should be immersed in boiling water for a few moments and allowed to dry. Paint-hardened brushes can be fixed if they are placed in a bath of paint remover and left for several hours. Then brush on a smooth board.

The Question Box:

Mrs. M. R. says: I thought the oven was the cause of my cakes burning on the bottom, but I decided it was my thin black pans, so I've been turning an old chipped enamel pan upside down to deflect the heat. Note: this is a good conservation tip.

Mrs. J. C. asks: How do you keep a large cake moist.

Answer: We cut it so that it fits into the bread box, wrap it in wax paper and then put a couple of slices of fresh bread in the box each day.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o Stirling News-Argus. Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

INFLATION THREATENS WAR AND POST-WAR ECONOMY

There can be no question that the hazard of inflation confronts us here in Canada. While it is primarily a National problem, inflation can be held in check only by the co-operation of every Canadian.

Prime Minister McKenzie King, in broadcast speech on December 6th last, underlined a point that is worth reproducing here:

"What I wish to impress upon you tonight is that, if we are to win the battle against unemployment in the post-war period, we must first of all win the battle against inflation."

Inevitably, when inflation sweeps a country the mass of the people suffer. While a few unscrupulous individuals may temporarily accumulate wealth at the expense of others, in the long run wages and salaries never keep pace with rising prices. This has been demonstrated time and again in other countries, but it is within the power of the people of Canada to prevent it happening here.

A series of advertisements, appearing in this newspaper, sponsored by the Brewing Industry of Ontario, demonstrates the importance of maintaining price ceilings and the dangers of black markets.

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Victory For Love

BY PAMELA WYNNE

CHAPTER II

Dr. Warner upon meeting the postman offers to deliver two letters to Mrs. Maturin, owner of the Pole Star House. One of these letters is from the British government ordering her to hold herself ready to take care of evacuees, unless she prefers to take care of dependent relatives. Mrs. Maturin is much upset over these orders, but dutifully mails an advertisement to the London Times offering accommodations for four people "in a hotel far from military objectives."

He never went anywhere except once a week when he stole down the stairs on his way to the bank. A small man, with a dark felt hat drawn down low over his eyes and a muffer round his neck. Where he went no one knew for certain, but Mrs. Payne guessed that it must be to the bank, for he always went on the day he paid his bill. He paid it in cash; no one had ever seen Monsieur's signature on a check.

And as Mrs. Payne went on down the stairs Monsieur turned to the back sheet of the Times where you found little pictures of houses to let and sell. Before he left Paris he had loved houses and had owned several. For one fleeting instant he visualized the one he had loved best. His dead wife had loved it, his Lucienne, thank God, she had gone before this horror descended on her beloved France.

When he arrived at Netta's advertisement he blinked his eyes and read it twice. The wording of it attracted him. "A small private hotel with accommodation for four visitors. Five guineas a week." Too much! But you could pay too much for peace?

He was still staring at the paper when Mrs. Payne brought in his lunch. She did not as a rule speak when she brought in Monsieur's lunch, but somehow this time she felt she had to. "Don't you feel well, Monsieur?"

"I feel well in my body, but not in my heart," said Monsieur Victor slowly.

And when Mrs. Payne had gone, Monsieur, rising from his chair, contemplated the food on the table and the terror thoughts descended on him again. There were those who even at that very moment gazed unseeing at black bread smashed down on a tin plate. Yes, if he did not get some sort of a change he would go raving mad. As soon as he had finished his déjeuner he would go to his bank, bearing with him his copy of the Times. And as after a little delay he was about to enter the private room of a deputy manager of the big bank in Pall Mall, a tall man bumped into him. A man with a nice clever clean-shaven face, who muttered apologies as he smiled. "So sorry."

"Il n'y a pas de quoi," (Don't mention it) said Monsieur courteously.

As John Wynter went on his way he reflected that it was hard luck that this charming, courteous race should have been so brutally betrayed by their leaders. . . . As he turned down Pall Mall on his way to Whitehall, John Wynter began to bring back to memory the happy holidays he had spent in France. To think of it now was ghastly. All that beauty and culture at the mercy of the brute beast. Well, his time would come, thought John Wynter grimly, stepping back into the shadow of a doorway as he saw a man coming toward him. With an almost imperceptible gesture he turned and signaled to the man in plain clothes who was following close behind him. A stocky clean shaven man in a blue overcoat and bowler hat.

The deputy manager of Lloyds Bank listened courteously to Monsieur Victor. He was terribly sorry for this man—small in stature but big in soul and attainment. In the old days his name had been one to be reckoned with in financial circles.

"We have heard from Lisbon . . . and then Mr. Paton began to explain.

There had been a fortunate discovery of some of Monsieur Victor's missing securities. An employee of the bank, who had escaped from Paris into Spain, had managed to open the safe at the Continental Exchange Bank before he left and had shoved securities haphazard into a suitcase. Several belonged to Monsieur Victor; Lloyds Bank in Lisbon had written to London to this effect.

"J'en suis content," (I am gratified) said Monsieur Victor gravely. After a little pause: "Combien pensez vous, mon ami?" (How much do you think, my friend?)

It was difficult to speak with exact certainty, Mr. Paton explained, but so far as he could say, he considered that Monsieur Victor would be fully justified in taking rooms at a hotel at five guineas a week.

"But even if I go I take my thoughts with me," he said, thinking of his beloved daughter suddenly gone, no one knew where. Dying perhaps in a concentration camp.

"At any time you may get news," Mr. Paton said. "The Red Cross is making all possible inquiries. The American Embassy . . ."

"I should have stayed and made sure. But they told me she was safe and had gone on ahead. There was no time; the Germans were only a few miles outside Paris."

"Don't reproach yourself," Mr. Paton spoke more urgently than ever. "Answer this advertisement and find out more about it. I will see that you can cash checks wherever you are."

"I thank you," Monsieur Victor got up and the interview ended. Out in the sunshine again, Monsieur stood wondering where he should go. Into the park? To a cinema, to think over his stroke of good luck in the shape of a little more money to live on. Which? As Monsieur Victor hesitated it was settled for him.

"Hurry along there, please," The warden in the tin hat looked business-like. "You'll find the nearest shelter in Jervis Street." The alert was howling his warning. Obediently Monsieur Victor obeyed the warden's injunctions. So did John Wynter on his way back from Whitehall. And as he stood in the underground shelter he recognized the small man again. God, what a sad face! Like a mournful spaniel with its flexible turned-down mouth.

"Pardon," He spoke purposely in French.

"Il n'y a pas de quoi," said Monsieur Victor courteously, and then the flexible lips parted in a brief smile. Ah! Encore une fois, (Once again) Monsieur, he said.

"Yes," And then as they stood and waited John Wynter began to talk. He was a good linguist; also he wanted to know what this Frenchman was doing here. Chattering amiably, he tried to find out. But Monsieur Victor had relapsed into taciturnity again.

When the All Clear sounded they slowly filtered out into the sunlight again. John Wynter watched the sad little figure of the Frenchman wend its way up St. James Street. Tragedy in every line of it. John Wynter laughed at his flights of imagination as he hailed a passing taxi and jumped into it. He would have to hurry, for he was already behind time for his appointment.

After a night spent in the luxurious reinforced concrete shelter under her equally luxurious flat, Mrs. Manvers-Pollock always felt extremely cross. Especially as those of her friends who had already moved away into comparative safety were always writing that she should do the same.

So when Mrs. Manvers-Pollock saw the advertisement on the back page of the Times, it all seemed to fit in.

Joan Maturin got her letter two days later.

"Dear Sir or Madam:" (read Joan) "I have seen your advertisement in today's Times, and should like a few more particulars as to the accommodation that you have to offer. Have

you gas or electric fires in the bedrooms, and can I be assured of really hot water both in my bedroom and in the bathroom? You say that you are far from any military objectives. This sounds almost too good to be true and remains to be seen. As I am anxious to leave London at once, will you very kindly send me a telegram stating whether you consider that your accommodation will fulfill my requirements. Yours faithfully,

"Lydia Manvers-Pollock."

"What do you think?" Joan's eyes were doubtful as she talked it over with Netta and Grace.

"We'll discuss it when we've read the others," Netta replied.

Joan spread out a sheet of this newspaper on her knee. "This one sounds funny."

"Dear Madam:

"In today's issue of The Times I see your advertisement. I have need of rest and quiet and may perhaps be able to find it with you. Kindly write me at once particulars, c/o Lloyds Bank, Pall Mall, and oblige. Your with respectful regards,

"Jaune Victor."

"P.S. I am French."

"Hm," Netta was pondering. "French. But he wouldn't be able to write on that note-paper if he was a spy. Someone has given it to him—it is Lloyds Bank Air Mail paper. Read the next."

"I like the next much best," said Joan complacently. "It's from the Carleton Club! Grand!"

"Dear Sir:

"I have seen your advertisement in today's Times, and as I am in need of a prolonged holiday it appeals to me. I should not be an exacting visitor. All I require is a bedroom facing the sea so that I may have a beautiful outlook, and some means of heating it. Also, I shall be glad to know if you have a garage adjoining the house. I should be glad of a wire if you have room for me. Faithfully,

"John Wynter."

"What do you think, Grace?" Netta asked.

Grace's wise old eyes were intent. "I think we'd be wise to take them all mum," she answered.

John Wynter got his telegram while he was having his after lunch snooze in the smaller library in his club. He went upstairs to tell the valet to pack his two suitcases.

Very soon John Wynter was in a taxi on his way to headquarters. His car would be brought round and his luggage in it, and he would telegraph to Pole Star House at the first post office. He thrust out his head to give the order to the taxi driver. The man was impressed. The next stop after the post office was a famous building.

"Well, so you've found accommodation where you wanted to?" John Wynter's chief was elderly, with a cheerful round face. One of those pudding-dish faces that go with tremendous driving power and foresight.

"Yes, it's an extraordinary piece of good luck. I got Hazelden to draw me a map of the place. He spent a summer holiday there two years ago and he knows it from A to Z. He puts Pole Star House here, Lundy Island here, the lighthouse here . . . well, you can see it for yourself."

The two men surveyed the neat little diagram. "That's Star Bay." The chief's forefinger was reflective.

"Yes."

"Some way from the house."

"Yes, but Hazelden says there's an excellent path. Not down to the bay itself. It's a scramble down, but from the house to the top of the descent it's good."

"Does Hazelden know the Maturin woman?"

"No, but I've had time to look her up. About forty, a widow with one son in a solicitor's office in Fleet Street. The son is C3; a dick, heart, but he's an A.R.P. warden, Central London."

"Found anything else out today?" the chief smiled broadly.

"Only that there's a mournful little Frenchman cruising round London. I met him coming out of Lloyds, so I got Smith to get him taped, and it's O.K."

"I see." The chief took a small key from his breast pocket and slipped it into the keyhole of the drawer at his elbow. "Well, this is what I've had from E. 4 Headquarters. They say . . . For about twenty minutes the two men chatted, then the chief raised his head. "Difficult," he said. "E. 4 seems to think that there has been a certain amount of signalling."

"Well, that I can very easily find out," said John Wynter cheerfully.

"Yes, that's your job," the chief answered. "Then after a pause he spoke again. "When are you going to marry, Wynter?"



RADIO ANNIVERSARY

Celebrating his eleventh year in this month, Louis Walzman is one of the service of national broadcasting the musical personalities of Canada.

"Never, if I can help it."

"Well, we'll see. Let me know how you get on. I'll keep you informed and you'll keep me. E.4 will let you have the altered code when it's due. Well, all the very best." And with a warm handshake the chief watched John Wynter disappear out of the door. One of his best men—prayer heaven nothing happened to him.

(To be continued)

A new order now also provides that Alternative Service Officers may direct conscientious objectors to most essential employment, and agriculture has been singled out mainly in that regard.

At the end of last year out of 8858 postponed, more than 5,160 are working on farms. They get \$25 a month plus board and lodging, the difference between this and the going wage rate is paid to the Canadian Red Cross.

This piggy went to market, is right. In the fall of 1943 hog slaughtering rose above the weekly mark of 180,000 for the first time in the history of Canada. But has that mark gone up! For every 100 hogs slaughtered in the first quarter of last year, 174 have gone the way of all flesh in the first three months of this year.

\$15 FARE LIMIT FOR TROOPS

An Order-in-council published Wednesday in Canadian War Orders and Regulations provides that members of the armed forces on annual leave, embarkation leave or disembarkation leave will pay no more than \$15 for transportation. However, the arrangement will not become effective until negotiations are completed with the railways.

OLD ALFALFA DEAD

Farmers of this district report that the old alfalfa is practically killed out. They are ploughing up the land and relying on the corn crop to make up the fodder shortage.

VETERINARY DIES

While driving along the highway just west of Carrying Place on Tuesday morning, Dr. R. C. Titus, Trenton veterinary surgeon, suffered a heart attack and crashed into a milk stand on the farm of John Buchanan. Hearing the crash Mr. Buchanan rushed to the scene of the accident and carried Dr. Titus from the car to his lawn where he died before medical aid could be summoned.

Landlady: "Good-morning! I hope you slept well?"

New boarder: "Not very. Your cat kept me awake, Can't you—"

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**STIRLING GIRL THIRD
IN SLOGAN CONTEST**

Winners of the Hastings county Sixth Victory Loan slogan contest in which approximately 9,000 county school children participated were announced by loan committees.

Donors of the prizes in the three student groups into which the contest was divided were Deacon Brothers of Belleville.

By a coincidence two students in group "A" for collegiate, technical and secondary schools, tied for first place, each submitting the same slogan—"Democracy's Yours—Pay for It." According to contest rules, in case of a tie a draw would be made to determine the first place winner, this giving Audrey Atkinson, 17 Everett St. first prize and Ramon Walsley, 11 Isabel Street second place. Third prize in group "A" was won by Betty Flynn, 24 Queen St. with "Your Passport to Freedom" as her slogan.

In the second group including the senior division of elementary schools, Frederic Huttman, 291 Dufferin Ave., Belleville, won first prize, with Jacqueline Cole of Glen Miller taking second prize. Third prize was won by Sybil Anne McLeaming, Stirling. Jean E. Fraser, 105 Henry Street, Trenton, was the winner in the junior division of elementary schools with second prize going to Lois Elmy, 14 Dunbar Street, Belleville. Third prize went to Murray Kruger, of Bancroft. Although the contest called for only slogans being submitted to Victory Loan headquarters, a few pupils throughout the country also submitted poster designs, several of which were commendable. Those submitting posters were Doris Bamber, Frankford; Teddy Ott, Batawa; Allan Caldwell of Frankford, and Mary Zabransky, of Batawa—Ontario Intelligencer

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Poison ivy victims may rejoice in the knowledge that this much feared plant can be added to the growing list of mankind's enemies which science has vanquished. Numerous tests show that properly timed application of the new chemical weed killer, Ammanium Sulphamate, generally effects a practically complete kill of this dreaded pest. Where the growth is heavy, a second treatment may be required to eradicate the few sickly plants, representing 0.5 to 4% of the original growth, that survived the first treatment.

This new chemical effects its kill by working inwardly from the leaf surface down through the root system. Unlike most other chemical weed killers, it does not cause the leaves to wither up immediately. Rather, one notices a gradual drying up action on the foliage, lasting over a period of several days as much as two weeks, depending on the strength of application and weather conditions.

Observation of Canadian trials with this weed killer indicates that the best time for application is in early June or as near as possible to the blossoming stage. One of the most extensive experiments in poison ivy eradication is being conducted by Dr. W. H. Minshall, Division of Botany, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Ammonium Sulphamate is a grey crystalline substance that is dissolved in water for use as a spray (3-4 lb. per gallon of water treats an area of 100 square feet). It has already proved a boon in eliminating ivy from military camps, orchards and around industrial plants. A number of civic improvement groups are planning poison ivy clean-up campaigns for early June, so that community playgrounds can be rid of this pest before schools close for the summer holidays. Most delighted of all with this new development will be those who own a summer cottage on the shore of one of the Dominion's many lakes—one evening's work with the spray-gun or sprinkling can, and the dread of poison ivy itch is a thing of the past.

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**BISHOP VOICES CONCERN
OVER LOW STIPENDS**

Rt. Rev. John Lyons, Bishop of Ontario, in his charge to the 78th session of the diocesan Synod in St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, expressed concern over the stipends paid to clergy in the diocese. "The incomes of our people generally have increased since the outbreak of war. This has not been reflected in a proportionate increase in the clerical stipend," he said.

"The last session of this Synod recommended that a cost-of-living bonus be paid to the clergy. In many congregations, no action has been taken," he added. More people are taking the Church seriously, because the war has impressed upon members the value of the Church's witness in all areas of life.

Overdraft Liquidated

Bishop Lyons expressed gratification that the Episcopal campaign fund overdraft had been liquidated since the previous session of the Synod, and stated that two committees have been appointed to improve the capital of the fund, to relieve parishes and missions of assessments to maintain the Episcopal stipends.

Referring to Canadian troops, the bishop said they have proved themselves worthy of their heritage. He hoped that a message would be sent from the Synod to men and women in uniform of the diocese and to homes darkened by wartime tragedies.

**DISCHARGE OLDER
DOCTORS**

The discharge of some medical officers in the older age groups from the Canadian Army by the end of this year, and their return to civilian practice, which is now experiencing a shortage of doctors, was foretold by Maj.-Gen. Brock Chisholm, director-general of medical services for the army.

Explaining that a shortage of medical officers still exists in Canada's armed forces, Gen. Chisholm added: "We will for the first time be up to strength by the end of October. By the end of the year we shall have a surplus of medical officers."

Already some doctors over the age of 45 are being returned from England, he said.

"It is hoped that by the end of the year many medical officers over 40—with exceptions in the case of specialists whose services are needed for their particular field—will be given a chance to return to civilian practice," he declared.

Timely Tribute

When the member of Parliament for Nanaimo, British Columbia, Captain Alan Chambers rose to speak, his speech was interrupted on several occasions by tremendous ovations of loud applause and desk thumping, because this member had returned to the House of Commons after serving on the battlefields of Sicily and Italy and his speech seemed to meet with the approval of a great many members. He said in part that the men overseas wanted the Government to see that another such war would not happen, that there were remarkable examples of comradeship and co-operation in the field between various races, and that proper tributes should be paid to the little people of Canada who have contributed regularly fabulous sums to war loans.

Important Statement
As a reply to the stories containing charges or allegations regarding the stock ownership of the famous Canadian Vickers Limited, which, it was claimed was foreign-owned, the Minister of Munitions and Supply, Hon. C. D. Howe, has made a careful and very important statement in Parliament about this great Canadian organization. He stated that he had investigated the stock control of this famous organization. He indicated that of a total issue of 19,000 preferred shares, residents of the United States, 413, of Newfoundland 167, of England, 83, and of Bermuda, 25; with the remaining 4,688 shares or 24.67 per cent having been held by a Canadian investment Corporation known as Losanac Limited. Out of the total issue of 52,000 shares of common stock, residents of Canada have owned 36,680, of the United States, 3,302, of Bermuda, 225, of England 253 and of Newfoundland, 20. The remaining 11,420 shares or 21.96 per cent of the total issue of common stock have been held by Losanac Limited. Losanac Limited, he said, was owned by Solvay & Cie., a Belgium banking firm, whose affairs were administered by Baron Rene Boel who was a resident of London, England, and adviser of the Belgium Government in that City. Solvay & Cie had decided to invest Belgium funds in Canada and for this purpose a Canadian company, Losanac Limited, was incorporated, with its officers being Canadians.**STIRLING THEATRE**

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